

**TOWN OF  
EASTHAM, MA**

**TOWN  
MEETING  
RECORDS  
1954-1962**

**START**

# Town Meeting Records

1954 to 1961

Volume V

Total number of votes in Eastham	1952	617
" " " " "	1953	
" " " " "	1954	647
Total number of votes in Eastham	1955	663
Total number of votes in Eastham	2/1/56 - 329 male - 350 female	679
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" " " " "	1965 D-84 R-448	988
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Eastham Elevation Figures  
 Bench Mark # A B 36 (Encased in top step  
 Eastham Town Hall) 47-98 ft above 1929 sea level

## Annual Town Meeting Warrant

Barnstable ss

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the fifteenth (15<sup>th</sup>) day of February next at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall in said Town at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, the sixteenth (16<sup>th</sup>) day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary officers.

Bells to open at 12:00 Noon and will close at 6:00 P. M.

Article 1. Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to have a black board at the front of the hall, showing the effect on the tax rate of the various Articles in the warrant or take any action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will vote to dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, and issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year, and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 5. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, and to issue a note or notes, as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed 1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws or take any action relative thereto.

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the protection and propagation of shellfish or take any action relative thereto, and act fully thereon.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

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Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks, and twenty cents each for crows killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 50.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highway, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the upkeep of the windmill and lot, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 12. To act on the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town officers, and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury sum of money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.

## Department

Recommendations of  
Dept. Heads and Finance  
Committee 1954.

1. Accountant	1100.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Office Clerk	1188.00
4. Selectmen, Assessors Expense	900.00
5. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
6. Assessors Abstracts	200.00
7. Legal Expense	1000.00
8. Certification of notes	10.00
9. Election & Registration	400.00
10. Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1150.00
11. Surety on Bonds	190.00

12. Town Hall	3800.00
13. Police	5500.00
14. Fire Department	3800.00
15. Ambulance Hire	1000.00
16. Tree Warden	300.00
17. Milk Truck Expense	200.00
18. Insect Pest Control	650.00
19. Dutch Elm Disease	320.00
20. Dealer Heights & Measures	110.00
21. Fire Inspectors	250.00
22. Planning Board	250.00
23. Building Inspector	1200.00
24. Health	1000.00
25. Inspector of Animals	80.00
26. Town Dump	1600.00
27. Dog Office	26.00
28. Disability Assistance	2500.00
29. General Relief	1000.00
30. Public Welfare Administration	940.00
31. Old Age Assistance	13500.00
32. Aid to Dependent Children	5500.00
33. Veterans Benefits	2500.00
34. Highway General	500.00
35. Snow	500.00
36. School	59,115.00
37. School Lunch	500.00
38. Vocational Education	500.00
39. Interest	900.00
40. Town Landings	4500.00
41. Old Cemetery	300.00
42. Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
43. Pension	3000.00
44. Miscellaneous	600.00
45. Tax Titles	1000.00
46. Town Reports	600.00
47. Memorial Day	100.00
48. Christmas Tree	150.00
49. Insurance	650.00
50. Retirement	804.10
51. Custodians	2392.00
52. Library	650.00

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53. Secretary Finance Committee	50.00
54. Auditorium Note	3000.00
55. Appeal Board	400.00
56. Recreation Commission	600.00
57. Civilian Defense	1200.00
Total	134,500.10

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended, and raise and appropriate sums of money for said salaries:

Moderator	Dept. Head Recommendation \$5.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen	1800.00
Board of Welfare	900.00
Assessors	1800.00
Treasurer & Collector	3000.00
Total	7625.00

Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00 to re-shingle the roof of the Eastham School.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Section 97, Chapter 41 of the General Laws pertaining to the establishment of a Police Department or take any action relative thereto.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00 for the purchase of an automobile (Police Cruiser) or take any action relative thereto.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 18,000.00 for the purchase of a new Fire Truck, 880 gallon capacity, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 18. To see if the Town of Eastham will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 for the purpose of trading the present ambulance for a new three town Ambulance or take any action relative thereto.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for Public Amusements and for municipal purposes under Chapter 154, Acts of 1950 or take any action relative thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,500.00 to be spent under the provisions of Chapter 90, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1953.

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the suppression and eradication of Poison Ivy under Chapter 282, Acts of 1947, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the purchase of land from John Grover, adjoining the present Town Dump, said land to be used for future expansion of the present Town Dump.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 700.00 for the purpose of purchasing counter cabinets in order to provide necessary filing and storage space in the Treasurer, Town Clerk, and Tax Collector's offices.

office, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the purpose of purchasing new desks and chairs for the Selectmen's office or take any action relative thereto.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law, in Section 3 thereof, by adding after Paragraph 1 on Section 3, a new sentence as follows, viz: "This use does not include tents, trailers, quonset, huts or portable buildings, except upon a temporary permit issued specifically therefor by the Board of Selectmen."

Article 27. To see if the Town will vote to insulate the ceiling of the Town Hall and new Auditorium, and raise and appropriate the sum of one thousand dollars (1,000.00) for this purpose, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sign a lease with Henry O. Guild for the use of a portion of his property which adjoins the Town Hall land, shown on a plan by Schofield Brothers June 1953, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to move the bandstand to the edge of Mr. Guild's property and raise and appropriate the sum of 250.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of construction, and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school building, and determine whether the money shall be provided for by taxation, by appropriation from available funds in the Treasury, and by

borrowing under Chapter 44 of the General Laws and Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1938, as amended, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to authorize and direct the Moderator to appoint a Building Committee of seven resident voters of Eastham, with full power to enter into all contracts and agreements necessary to construct, equip and furnish the School Building.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to discharge the Committee appointed by the Moderator, under Article 34 at the Annual Town Meeting of 1951, pertaining to the Regional School System, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to create a special unpaid Committee to be known as a Regional School District Planning Committee under the provisions of Section 14 to 15 inclusive of Chapter 71, and Amendments thereto, of the General Laws and raise and appropriate the sum of 200.00 for said Committee's expenses or take any action relative thereto.

Article 34. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1,000.00 for the purpose of putting a tar or asphalt mix on a portion of the Parking Area at the Town Hall, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 35. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following by-law: No persons shall remove any soil, loam, sand or gravel from any land in the town not in public use, unless such removal is authorized by a permit issued by the Board of Selectmen, except in conjunction with the construction of a building on the parcel and except for the continued operation on the same parcel of an existing sand and gravel pit.

Article No such permit shall be issued until an application therefor is filed with said Board. Said Board may hold a public hearing on the application and notice of the filing of such application and the date and time of the public hearing thereon shall be advertised in a paper published in the County seven days at least before the public hearing."

Article 36 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding band concerts in the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.

Article 37 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 700.00 for the purchase of a new moth truck or take any action relative thereto.

Article 38 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1000.00 for the purpose of grading the Curve on Bridge Road, south of the Boat Meadow Bridge or take any action relative thereto.

Article 39 To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in No. Eastham, and the Post Office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Went of fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 13<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year of our

1954

Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Four. (1954)

Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

## Annual Town Meeting February 15, 1954 Minutes

The Annual Town meeting was called to order at 7.00 P.M. by the Moderator, Winfred J. Howles, and a prayer was offered by the Reverend Stephen Smith. The Call of the meeting was read by the Town Clerk and there being no objections the reading of the Articles was omitted. Marion Anderson and Dorothy Delaney were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to have a blackboard at the front of the hall showing the effect on the tax rate of the various Articles in the warrant. <sup>Unanimous vote</sup>  
Voted not to take the Articles in the warrant out for rotation. <sup>unanimous vote</sup>

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension service, and to instruct the Town Clerk to cast one vote for Joseph L. Putnam for Director. <sup>Unanimous vote</sup>

Article 3. Voted that the town place the <sup>referred</sup> dog tag at the disposal of the Public Library. <sup>Unanimous vote</sup>

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1954 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 47, General Laws.

Unanimous vote

Article 5 Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1954, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 8, General Laws.

Article 6. Unanimous vote.  
At this time Mr. Eugene Jack explained his methods in figuring the tax rate <sup>from the blackboard</sup> as each appropriation is voted.

Article 6 Voted to raise and appropriate 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Truro, for the care and treatment of persons certified by the selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws.

Unanimous vote  
Article 7 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 for the protection & propagation of shellfish.

Unanimous vote  
Article 8 Voted to authorize the selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous vote  
Article 9 Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks, and twenty cents each for crows killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 50.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous vote

Article 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 3900.00 for the purpose of Chapter 81 Highway maintenance  
Unanimous vote

Article 11 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 100.00 for the upkeep of the windmill & Lt.  
Unanimous vote

Article 12 Voted to postpone item 13 in the budget until after Article 15 was disposed of.  
41 Yea 3 no

noted not to cut the school budget from 59,115.00 to 50,000.00  
Unanimous vote

noted not to cut the amount of 4500.00 to 3500.00  
Unanimous vote

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of to cover the items requested in the budget as follows:

1. Accountant	1100.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Office Clerk	1188.00
4. Selectmen Assessors Expense	900.00
5. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
6. Assessors Abstracts	200.00
7. Legal Expense	1000.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Election & Registration	400.00
10. Treasurer Collector Clerk Exp.	1150.00
11. Surety on Bonds	197.25
12. Town Hall	3800.00
13. Police	5500.00
14. Fire Department	3800.00
15. Ambulance Hire	1000.00
16. Tree Warden	300.00
17. Mop & Truck Expense	200.00
18. Insect Pest Control	650.00
19. Dutch Elm Disease	320.00
20. Dealer of Weights & Measures	110.00
21. Wire Inspections	250.00

22	Planning Board	250.00
23	Building Inspector	1200.00
24	Health	1000.00
25	Inspector of Animals	80.00
26	Town Dump	1600.00
27	Dog Officer Account	26.00
28	Disability Assistance	2500.00
29	General Relief	1000.00
30	Public Welfare Administration	940.00
31	Old Age Assistance	13,500.00
32	Aid to Dependent Children	5,500.00
33	Veterans Benefits	2,500.00
34	Highway - General	500.00
35	Snow	1500.00
36	School	59,115.00
37	School Lunch	500.00
38	Vocational Education	500.00
39	Interest	900.00
40	Town Landings	4500.00
41	Old Cemeteries	300.00
42	Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
43	Reserve	3000.00
44	Miscellaneous	600.00
45	Tax Titles	1,000.00
46	Town Reports	700.00
47	Memorial Day	100.00
48	Christmas Tree	150.00
49	Insurance	650.00
50	Retirement	804.10
51	Custodian	2392.00
52	Library	650.00
53	Secretary of the Finance Comm.	50.00
54	Auditorium Note	3000.00
55	Appeal Board	250.00
56	Recreation Commission	600.00
57	Civilian Defense	1200.00
Total		135,457.35

Unanimous Vote

Article 13 Voted to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 41, General Laws as amended and raise <sup>and</sup> appropriate sums of money for salaries as follows:

Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen	1800.00
Board of Welfare	900.00
Assessors	1800.00
Treasurer Collector Clerk	3000.00
Total	7625.00

Article 14 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00 to re-shingle the roof of the Eastham School.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 15 Voted to accept the provisions of Section 97, Chapter 41 of the General Laws pertaining to the establishment of a Police Department.

127 Yes 25 No

Article 16 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00 for the purchase of an automobile (Police Cruiser).

yes 109 No 13

Article 17 Voted not to raise and appropriate the sum of 18,000.00 for the purchase of a new Fire Truck 800 Gallon capacity.

86 No 27 Yes

Article 18 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 for the purpose of trading in and ambulating for a new state town ambulance.

Unanimous Vote

Article 19 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for Public Amusements and for municipal purposes under Chapter 154 Acts of 1950.

Unanimous Vote

Article 20 Voted to raise <sup>&</sup> appropriate the sum of 2500.00 to be spent under the provisions of Chapter 90 Highways.  
Unanimous vote.

Article 21 Voted to raise <sup>&</sup> appropriate the sum of 84.72 to pay the unpaid bills of 1953.  
Unanimous Voice vote

Article 22 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the purpose of erecting and suppressing Basin Dry under Chapter 282, Acts of 1947.  
Unanimous voice vote

Article 23 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the purpose of purchasing land from John Grogan, adjoining the present Town Dump, said land to be used for the future expansion of the present Town Dump.  
Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 24 Voted to raise <sup>&</sup> appropriate the sum of 700.00 for the purpose of purchasing Counter Cabinets in order to provide necessary filing <sup>&</sup> storage space in Treasurer, Tax Collector & Town Clerk's office.  
Unanimous Voice vote

Article 25 Voted to raise <sup>&</sup> appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the purpose of purchasing new desks and chairs for the Selectmen's office.  
Unanimous Vote

Article 26 Voted to amend the zoning by-law, in Section 3 thereof, by adding after paragraph 1 in Section 3 a new sentence as follows viz: "This use does not include tents, trailers, gunniet huts or portable buildings, except upon a temporary permit issued specifically therefore by the Board of Selectmen."  
157 yes 7 no

Article 27 Voted not to insulate the ceiling of the Town Hall and new Auditorium and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose.  
Unanimous Vote

Article 28 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sign a lease with Mr. Henry R. Guild for the use of a portion of his property which adjoins the Town Hall land, shown on a plan by Schofield Brothers, June 1953.

See encl. of warrant Voted to adjourn at 11:15 P.M. and to reconvene on the next evening at 7:30 P.M. <sup>at 7:30 P.M.</sup>  
Article 29 Voted to move the band stand to the edge of Mr. Henry Guild's property and raise and appropriate the sum of 250.00 for this purpose.  
Unanimous Vote

Article 30 Voted not to accept the following amendment: that the sum of 186,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of Constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school building, and that to meet said appropriation the sum of 10,000.00 be raised in the tax levy of the current year and that the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of 106,000.00 under authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, and to issue bonds or notes of the town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty years from the date of issue of the first bond or note.  
voice note

Voted not to accept the following amendment: that the sum of 213,000.00 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of Constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school building, and that to meet said appropriation the sum of 10,000.00 be raised in the tax levy of the current year, and that the treasurer with the approval of the selectmen be, and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of 123,000.00 under authority of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and the sum of 75,000.00 under authority of Chapter 645 of the Acts of 1948 as amended, and to issue bonds or notes of the town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws

so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty years from the date of issue of the first bond or note.

Unanimous vote

Voted to set aside 30 minutes for open meeting in order to discuss the school building question.

Voted to prolong the discussion for 30 minutes longer.

In the open meeting an informal preference vote was taken on the figures as submitted in the original motion and the amendments.

The results were as follows: The \$135,000.00 figure received 140 votes, the \$213,000.00 received 22 votes and the \$126,000.00 received 52 votes a total of 214 votes cast.

\*Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$135,000.00 for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an elementary school building of two rooms and a multipurpose room of wood frame construction and substantially the same architectural design as the present building and that to meet the said appropriation the sum of \$10,000.00 be raised and appropriated and that the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, he, and hereby is authorized to borrow the sum of \$125,000.00 and to issue a note or notes of the town therefor payable in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than twenty years from the date of issue of the first note.

167 ye 56 no

Article 31 Voted to authorize & direct the Moderator to appoint a Building Committee of seven resident voters of Eastham with full power to enter into all contracts and agreements necessary to construct equip and furnish the school building.

Article 32 Voted to discharge the committee appointed by the Moderator under Article 24 at the Annual Town meeting of 1951 pertaining to the Regional School system.

Article 33 Voted to create a special impact Committee to be known as a Regional School District Planning Committee, under the provisions of Section 14 to 15 inclusive of Chapter 71, and amendments thereto of the General Laws and raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for said Committee expenses.

Unanimous vote

Article 34 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 for the purpose of putting a top on asphalt mix over a portion of the parking area at the Town Hall.

Unanimous vote

Article 35 Voted not to adopt the following by-law: "No person shall remove any soil, loam, sand or gravel from any land in the town not in public use unless such removal is authorized by a permit issued by the Board of Selectmen, except in connection with the construction of building on the parcel and except for the continued operation on the same parcel of an existing sand and gravel pit. No such permit shall be issued until an application therefor is filed with said Board."

Said Board may hold a public hearing on the application and notice of the filing of such application, and the date and time of the public hearing thereon shall be advertised in a paper published in the County seven days at least before the public hearing.

Yes 79 Yes 34

Article 36 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 300.00 for the purpose of holding band concerts in the coming year.  
Carried by voice vote.

Article 37 Voted not to raise and appropriate the sum of 700.00 for the purchase of a new moth truck.  
Unanimous vote.

Article 38 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1000.00 for the purpose of grading the Corner on Bridge Road, south of the Boat Meadow Bridge.  
Unanimous vote.

Article 39 Voted to extend to Mr. Henry Guild an expression of thanks for his generosity in the leasing of his land to the town. The meeting responded by rising and applause.

The following resolutions from the Cape Cod Chamber of Commerce were read into the minutes.  
Article 6 of the Cape Cod Congress warrant. Approved.  
To see if the Congress will vote to recommend to the several towns that the following resolutions be presented for action in their 1954 Annual Town Meetings.

Resolution #1. Whereas the growing practice of certain people in using their Automobiles for overnight sleeping in areas that do not provide sanitary facilities, is most objectionable; therefore be it resolved that this meeting hereby request the Police Dept. and the Health Department to use every means available to prevent such practices in the future.

Resolution #2. Whereas there is an increase in the use of the sidewalks and other public ways of this town for the solicitation of funds for charitable purposes and that this practice is objectionable to the summer visitors;

Therefore, be it resolved that this meeting hereby request the Police Department to refuse

permission for the use of sidewalks and other public ways for the purpose of soliciting funds for any purpose between June 1 and November 1 annually, Resolution #3. Whereas the disposal of garbage and other litter along public ways is most detrimental to the appearance of this town, and also in violation of the Massachusetts laws Chapter #416 of the Acts of 1949; therefore, be it resolved that this meeting hereby request the Police Department to take the necessary action to enforce the law, and that also, the Police Department recommend, upon obtaining a conviction, the suspension of the driver's license and the registration of the automobile involved in the violation.

Gordon Nickerson was appointed as teller and sworn in by the Town Clerk.

Moderator Winfred J. Howles announced that Maurice W. Wiley would be the presiding officer at the Town Election on February 16, 1954.

The meeting adjourned at 11:20 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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## Annual Election February 16, 1958

The Annual Election of Town Officers was held this day in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting called to order by the presiding Election Officer, Maurice W. Niles at 11:55 A.M.

The following persons having been appointed Election Officers were duly sworn to office by the Town Clerk:

Marian L. Anderson  
Elizabeth P. Lloyd  
Harris Brown

The ballot box was examined and found to register zero and the polls declared open at 12:00 noon.

At 6:00 P.M. the polls were declared closed. There was 1 absent voter's ballot cast, making a total of 138 ballots cast for the day.

The ballot box registered 138 and the check list showed a like number of names as having been checked.

Following is a result of the voting.

Moderator	Munfred J. Knowles	1 yr.	1120
Hr	Harry S. Young		4
	Christopher E. Eldredge		2
	C. Foster Otwood		1
	George Niles		1
	Blanks		10

Selectman, Assessor

Board of Welfare

and Health

Luther P. Smith	3 yrs.	127
David L. Meade		1
Maurice R. Moore		2
Blanks		8

Town Clerk, Treasurer

Tax Collector

L. Isabelle Brachett	3 yrs.	131
Prince Hunt		1
Blanks		6

School Committee	1 yr.	Allen C. Crosby	123
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Catherine Moore	1
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Helen Schwind	1
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Blanks	13
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School Committee	3 yrs.	James Schofield	118
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Blanks	20
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Trustee of Public Library	3 yrs.	Dorrie Mayo	135
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Blanks	3
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Highway Surveyor	1 yr.	Nathan R. Hickerson	132
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Constable	1 yr.	Harvey T. Moore	126
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Frances Brown	1
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Planning Board	5 yrs.	John R. Anderson	123
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Edmund E. Mulliken	1
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Recreation Commission	4 years	Theodore Michle	124
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Recreation Commission	5 years	Velma D. Macpherson	119
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As the Town Clerk read the results of the election, those who had the larger number of votes were declared elected by the presiding Election Officer. At 6:25 the meeting was adjourned, the total number of ballots cast being 138 from a possible 647 on the voting list.

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

The Moderator's appointments are as follows:

Finance Committee:	Building Committee:
David L. Mead	Robert L. Dechamps
Clayton O. Horton	Oseng Price
Robert R. Hathaway	Alfred W. Nickerson
	Eugene S. Jack
	James E. Schofield
	Alton C. Crosby
	Elizabeth F. Collins

Regional School District Planning Committee:

James E. Schofield  
Elizabeth F. Collins  
Alton C. Crosby

Selectmen's Appointments for 1954

Ernest Eldredge	Sanitary Inspector	Office March 1955
George F. Crocker		1955
David L. Mead	Associate Member Board of Appeals	1955
Robert O. Abbott		1955
Lloyd Mays	Member Board of Appeals	1957
Nathan M. Weber	Special School Policeman	1955
Stanley M. Walker	Sealer, Weights & Measures	1955
John Hilpert	Fire Chief & Forest Fire Warden	1955
Howard Anderson	Shellfish Constable	1955
Maurice C. Moore	Inspector of Pools	1955
Robert L. Schroeder	Mol. Supt.	1955
Dr. James Leach	Dog Officer, Inspector Animals, Slaughtering and Poundkeeper	Mar. 1955
Dr. Fred Moore	Special Agent Board of Health	1955
Ralph Chase	Veteran Agent & Burial Agent	1955
Varina Daley	Member Board of Registration	1957
Henry O. Daniels	Senior Viewer	1955
Elmathan E. Eldredge		1955

Ralph L. Rogers	Building Inspector	1955
Antone Escobar	Town Dump Custodian	1955
Dorice Mays	Social Worker	1955
Nathan Nickerson	Highway Surveyor	1955
Menfred J. Howler	Police Chief	1955
Genevieve Schweder	General Office Clerk	1955

Allen Corbett	Deputy Shellfish Warden	Expires 3/1/55
Young	Neigher	5/17/55
July 6-1954	Anthony Whitman	Lifeguard - Term Expires Sept. 4, 1954
July 7-1954	David L. Mead	Member Board of Appeals 3/1/55
October 4-1954	Prince H. Hurd J.	Moderator after Annual Town Meeting 55

Eastham, Mass.  
March 4, 1954

To the Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

Due to the pressing nature of my present duties, I hereby submit my resignation as Moderator of the Town of Eastham.

Respectfully,  
Winifred J. Hensler

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett, Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

This is to inform you, in accordance with established procedure, that on March 22, 1954, the newly constituted Eastham Finance Committee held a re-organization meeting for the purpose of electing a secretary for the current year. At this meeting Robert O. Abbott was unanimously elected chairman and secretary.

Yours very truly  
Robert O. Abbott  
Secretary

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Department of Public Works  
Special Regulation Governing the Speed of Motor  
Vehicles on Route 6, State Highway in Eastham  
Wellfleet and Truro.

Special Speed Regulation # 97

Highway Location: Eastham, Wellfleet, & Truro.

Authority in Control: Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department  
of Public Works.

Name of Highway: Eastham, Wellfleet & Truro, Grand Army  
of the Republic Highway.

In accordance with the provisions of Section 18 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), as amended by Section 2, of Chapter 564 of the Acts of 1949, the following Special Speed Regulation is hereby made by the Department of Public Works, and the Regulation of Motor Vehicles, acting jointly and shall be effective immediately upon compliance with the applicable provisions of the above referenced Section 2.

The following designated speed limits are established at which motor vehicles may be operated in the areas described.

Northbound - Beginning in Eastham at the Orleans line, thence Northwesterly  
0.02 miles at 40 miles per hour  
thence 2.28 " " 45 " " " "  
" 0.49 " " 40 " " " "  
" 3.38 " " 45 " " " "

to the Wellfleet line.

Thence Northwesterly in Wellfleet

7.24 miles at 45 miles per hour to

the Truro line.

Thence northwesterly in Truro

5.10 miles at 45 miles per hour

ending at Station 268+00 in Truro; the total distance being 18.51 miles.

## Southbound

Beginning in Truro at Station 268.00  
thence Southwesterly 5.10 miles at 45 miles per  
hour to the Wellfleet line.

Thence Southwesterly in Wellfleet 7.24 miles  
at 45 miles per hour to the Eastham line.  
Thence Southwesterly in Eastham

	3.32 miles @ 45 miles per hour
thence	0.45 " " 40 " " "
"	2.34 " " 45 " " "

ending at the Orleans line, the total distance  
being 18.51 miles.

Operation of a motor vehicle at a rate of  
of speed in excess of these limits, shall be  
prima facie evidence that such speed  
is greater than is reasonable and proper.

The provisions of the regulation shall not  
however, abrogate in any sense Section 14 of  
Chapter 90.

The Department of Public Works and the Registrar  
of Motor Vehicles, acting jointly do hereby certify  
in writing, after a public hearing, that this  
regulation is consistent with public interests.

Standard signs must be erected at the  
beginning of each zone.

Department of Public Works

John Volpe, Commissioner  
Fred B. Cole, Associate

Rudolph F. King  
Registrar of Motor Vehicles

State Primary Warrant  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss.

To Harry J. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable:—

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mas-  
achusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and  
warn the inhabitants of said Town who are  
qualified to vote in said Primary to meet  
in Eastham Town Hall, Tuesday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September  
at 12 noon, for the following purposes:—

To bring in their votes to the Primary officers  
for the nomination of candidates of political parties  
for the following officers:

Governor  
Lieutenant Governor  
Secretary of the Commonwealth  
Treasurer and Receiver General  
Auditor of the Commonwealth  
Attorney General  
Senator in Congress  
Representatives in Congress of 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District  
Councillors of 1<sup>st</sup> Councillor District  
Senators of Cape & Plymouth Senatorial District  
Representatives in General Court of 2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable  
District  
District Attorney in the Southern District  
Register of Probate and Insolvency of Barnstable  
County  
County Commissioners (1) of Barnstable County  
County Treasurer of Barnstable County  
Polls will be open from 12 noon to 6 P.M.

Hereof fail not and make due return of  
this warrant with your doings thereon  
at the time and place of said meeting  
you are directed to post attested copies at  
the post-office in Eastham and the post-office  
in North Eastham seven days before the time

of holding said meeting

Given under our hands and seals  
this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September A.D. 1954

Maurice W. Riley

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

State Primaries September 14, 1954

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters met in the Town Hall, the warrant was read, and the following who were appointed to serve at the meeting were sworn by the Town Clerk:

Luther P. Smith, Maurice W. Riley, Haney T. Moore, George Druffy Jr. and Ella Fuller.

Polls opened at 12 noon, the ballots box stood at 000 at the opening of the polls. Then proceeded to vote as follows: Republican Party

Governor

Christian A. Kertis

Sixty Two Votes

Blanks

Six

Lt. Governor

Sumner J. Whittier

Sixty Three

Blanks

Five

Secretary

Michael J. McCarthy

Sixty One

Blanks

Seven

Treasurer

Augustus J. Means

Sixty Two

Blanks

Six

Auditor

William P. Constantino

Fifty Nine

Blanks

Nine

Attorney General

George Fingold

Sixty One Votes

Blanks

Seven

Senator in Congress

Terrett Saltswall

Sixty Three Votes

Blanks

Five

Congressman 9<sup>th</sup> District

Donald W. Nicholas

Sixty Votes

Blanks

Eight

Councillor 1<sup>st</sup> District

Harold R. Allen

Fifty Nine

Blanks

Eight

Senator Cape & Plymouth District

Edward C. Stone

Sixty One

Blanks

Seven

Representative in General Court

2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable District

Oscar J. Cahoon

Sixty One

Blanks

Seven

District Attorney

Maurice Lyons

Two

Blanks

Sixty Six

Register of Probate & Insolvency Barnstable County

Alfred C. Knight

Forty Five Votes

John R. Lulis

Twenty One

Blanks

Two

County Commissioner Barnstable County

Walter P. Nickerson

Thirty One Votes

Sherman M. Woodward

Eleven

L. Madalyn Wright

Twenty Three

Blanks

Three

County Treasurer

Bruce H. Jerauld

Sixty Two

Blanks

Six

## Democratic Party

Governor

Robert F. Murphy Three Votes  
 Francis E. Kelly One Vote  
 Blanks

Lt. Governor

James A. Burke Three Votes  
 Blanks One Vote

Secretary

Edward J. Cronin Three Votes  
 Blanks One Vote

Treasurer

Clement A. Kelly Two ..  
 William F. Carr One ..  
 John F. Kennedy One ..  
 Blanks

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley Four ..  
 Blanks

Attorney General

John F. Collins Four ..  
 Blanks

Senator in Congress

Foster Furcolo Two ..  
 John J. Fitzgerald  
 Joseph L. Murphy Two ..  
 Blanks

Congressman 9<sup>th</sup> District

James F. O'Neil One Vote  
 William E. Watkins Three ..  
 Blanks

Councillor

Joseph P. Clark Jr. 1<sup>st</sup> District  
 Francis C. Dolan One Vote  
 Joseph P. Dupont One ..  
 William O'Brien Two ..  
 Leo P. Evans  
 Blanks

Senator Cape &amp; Plymouth District

George Curran Four Votes  
 Blanks

Representative in General Court  
Second Barnstable District

Frank H. Barnett Three Votes  
 Blanks One ..

District Attorney Southern District

Maurice M. Lyons Three ..  
 John B. Nunes One ..  
 Blanks

Register of Probate & Insolvency  
Barnstable County Four ..

Blanks

County Treasurer

Barnstable County Four ..  
 Blanks

Voting machine stood at 72 at the closing of  
 the polls, that number having voted.  
 4 Democrats & 68 Republicans

attest:

L. Isabelle Brackett  
 Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Benestable s.s.

To Harry J. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham,  
in the County of <sup>Benestable</sup> Massachusetts

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall on Wednesday, the thirteenth (13<sup>th</sup>) day of October, at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following article in this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to lease for the term of one year, from Iver H. Johnson, a parcel of land on the Easterly side of Schoolhouse Road in Eastham, Benestable County, Massachusetts containing seven (7) acres more or less, and bounded Northwily by land of Alice N. Houck Roland P. Frechette, and Walter J. Brady, a distance of nine hundred thirty (930) ft. more or less, Easterly by land of Clarence and Pauline Doughty, southerly by land of said Johnson said southerly line to be parallel to, and three hundred fifty (350) ft. southerly from the said Northwily line hereof, and Westwily by the Easterly side line of said Schoolhouse Road; said land to be used by the School Committee of the Town of Eastham for the purposes of a school playground, and to appropriate now available funds the sum of sixty (60) dollars to carry out the purpose thereof including clearing and preparation of the said land as a playground.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in Eastham, and the Post Office in North

Eastham, seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine hundred and Fifty Four.

Maurice W. Bailey

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Special Town Meeting October 13, 1954

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator, Prince H. Herd Jr. The Call of the meeting was read by the Town Clerk, and, there being no objections, the reading of the Articles in the warrant was dispensed with. Gordon Nickerson and Blango Gill were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the clerk.

Article 1. Voted to authorize the selectmen to lease for the term of one (1) year, from Iver H. Johnson a parcel of land on the Easterly side of Schoolhouse Road in Eastham, Benestable County, Massachusetts containing seven (7) acres, more or less, and Northwily by land of Alice Houck, Roland P. Frechette, and Walter J. Brady, a distance of nine hundred thirty (930) feet, more or less, Easterly by land of Clarence and Pauline Doughty; Southerly by land of said Johnson and said Southerly line to be parallel to, and three hundred fifty (350) feet Southerly from the said Northwily hereof, and Westwily by the Easterly side line of said Schoolhouse Road; said land to be used by the School Committee of the Town of Eastham for the purposes of a school playground and to appropriate from available funds the sum of sixty dollars (60.00) to carry out the purpose thereof, including clearing and preparation of the said land as a playground.

Unanimous Vote

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brachett, Town Clerk

Warrant For State Election, November 2, 1954  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable:

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
you are hereby directed to notify and warn  
the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in  
elections, to meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham  
on Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November next at  
10:00 o'clock in the forenoon for the following purpose  
to bring in their rolls for

Governor for this Commonwealth

Lieutenant Governor

Secretary

Treasurer

Auditor

Attorney General

Senator in Congress

Congressman

Fourth Congressional District

Councillor

First Councillor District

Senator

Cape & Plymouth District

Representative in General Court

Second Barnstable

District Attorney

Southern District

Register of Probate & Insolvency

Barnstable County

County Commissioner

County Treasurer

Question #1

A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the  
sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages  
so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the  
sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum,  
gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic  
beverages?

B. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the  
sale therein of wines and malt beverages  
(wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Question #2

A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on li-  
censed horse races be permitted in this County?

B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on  
licensed dog races be permitted in this County?

Question #3

"Shall an act passed by the General Court in  
the year nineteen hundred & fifty four, entitled  
"An Act relative to expenditure of money by the County  
Commissioners of Barnstable County for the purpose  
of promoting the recreational advantages of said  
County," be accepted?"

All of the above candidates, officers and questions  
are to be voted for on one ballot. The polls will be  
open from 10:00 o'clock A.M. to 6:00 P.M. and you  
are hereby directed to serve this warrant by  
posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in  
Eastham and the Post-office in North Eastham, seven  
days at least before time of holding said meeting.  
If you fail not and make due return of this  
warrant with your doings thereon to the Town  
Clerk at the time and place as aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seals this twentieth  
day of October in the year One Thousand Nine  
Hundred and Fifty Four.

Polls will be Open from 10.00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Maurice R. Bailey Chm.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

Isabelle Brackett, Town Clerk, Greeting

In pursuance of the Conditions of foregoing Warrants I have  
posted attested copies, one at the Post office in said  
Eastham, one at the Post-office in North Eastham, seven days  
before time of holding said meeting.

Signed

Harvey T. Moore

Constable

State Election Nov. 2, 1954

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the votes met at the Town Hall at 10 o'clock. The warrant was duly read to gether with the return of the officer seeing the same. Ella Fuller, Edith Brown, and George Druffy Jr. were appointed as ballot clerks and sworn by the Town Clerk.

The Polls opened at 10:00 o'clock A.M. by Maurice W. Riley, presiding election officer. The ballot box stood at 000 at opening and 517 at closing, that being the number of ballots cast. Polls closed at 6:00 P.M.

### Governor

Christian H. Carter	received	Four Hundred Sixty (466)	votes
Robert F. Murphy	"	Fifty Four	(54) "
Lawrence J. Gifford	"	Two	(2) "
Jay S. Williams	"	One	(1) "
Blanks	Lieutenant Governor		
Sumner J. Whittier	received	Four Hundred & Sixty Four (464)	
James C. Burke		Forty nine	(49) "
Donald E. Babcock			"
Blank		Four	(4) "

### Secretary

Edward J. Cronin	received	Ninety Six (96)	
Michael J. McCarthy		Four Hundred Nine (409)	"
Fred M. Ingersoll		One	(1) "
William D. Ross		One	(1) "
Blanks		Ten	(10) "

### Treasurer

John F. Kennedy	received	One Hundred & Eight (108)	
Augustus J. Means	"	Four Hundred & Two (402)	"
Winning A. Blomen			"
Isaac C. Goddard			"
Blanks		Seven	(7) "

### Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	One Hundred & Twenty Two	122	"
William P. Constantino	Three	Eighty Three	383 "
John B. Lander	One	1	"
Anthony Martin			"
Blanks	Eleven	11	"

### Attorney General

George F. Ingold	received	Four Hundred & Fifty (450)	votes
John F. Collins		Fifty Six	(56) "
Howard B. Rand			"

Malcolm T. Rose	Eleven	(11)	"
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### Senator in Congress

Lester Dalton	received	Four Hundred & Fifty Nine (459)	votes
Foster F. Lincoln		Fifty One	(51) "

Thelma Ingersoll			"
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Harold J. Ireland	One	(1)	"
Blanks	Six	(6)	"

### Congressman

Donald W. Nicholson	received	Four Hundred Sixty Four (464)	votes
James F. O'Neill		Forty Five (45)	"
Blanks		Eight (8)	"

### Councillor

Harold R. Allen	received	Four Hundred Sixty Four (464)	votes
Joseph D. Spont		Thirty Eight (38)	"
Blanks		Eight (8)	"

### Senator, Cape & Plymouth District

Edward C. Stone	received	Four Hundred Twenty (420)	votes
George Carra		Thirty Seven (37)	"
Blanks		Fifteen (15)	"

### Representative in General Court

Oscar J. Caboon	received	Four Hundred Fifty One (451)	votes
Frank H. Barnett		Fifty (50)	"
Blanks		Sixteen (16)	"

### District Attorney

Maurice M. Lyons	received	Four Hundred Forty Five (445)	votes
Blanks		Twenty Two (22)	"

### Register of Probate & Insolvency

Alfred C. Knight	received	Four Hundred & Twenty (420)	votes
Blanks		Forty Seven (47)	"

### County Commissioners, Barnstable County

Walter B. Nicholson	received	Four Hundred Twenty (420)	votes
Blanks		Forty Four (44)	"

### County Treasurer, Barnstable County

Bruce H. Jewald	received	474	votes
Blanks		43	"

## Question No. 1

A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages.)

B. Shall licenses be granted in this city or town for the sale therein of wines & malt beverages (wines and beer, ale and all other malt beverages.)

C. Shall licenses be granted in this city or town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so called, not to be drunk on the premises

A. Acreid One Hundred Seventy Three (173) Yes Votes

B. Three Hundred & One (301) No "

C. Forty Three (43) Blank "

A. One Hundred & Eighty Four (184) Yes "

B. Two Hundred & Sixty Two (262) No "

C. Fifty One (51) Blank

A. Two Hundred & Eight (208) Yes "

B. Two Hundred & Sixty Four (264) No "

C. Forty Five (45) Blank

## Question No. 2

A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this County?

B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this County?

A. Acreid Two Hundred & Eight (208) Yes Votes

B. Two Hundred & Sixty Four (264) No "

## Question No. 3

Shall an Act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and fifty four entitled: "An Act relative to expenditures of money by the County Commissioners of Barnstable County for the purpose of promoting the recreational advantages of said County be accepted?"

Acreid Three Hundred Twenty Nine (329) Yes "

B. One Hundred Nine (109) No "

C. Seventy Nine (79) Blank

The voting machine stood at 517 at the closing of the Polls that number having voted out of a possible 646.

attest  
L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss

To HARRY J. MOORE, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable;

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify & warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the fourteenth (14) day of December next at 8:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Articles in the Warrant:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to the Risk to Dependent Children Account.

Article 2. Shall the Town vote to accept the provisions of Section sixteen to Section 16 F inclusive of Chapter Twenty-One of the General Laws, providing for the establishment of a regional school district, together with the Towns of Brewster, Wellfleet, Truro & Orleans and the construction, maintenance and operation of a regional school by the said district in accordance with the provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the Selectmen?

Article 3.

To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of two thousand dollars (2000.00), for preliminary expenses of the Regional District Committee, to be used in conjunction with money to be raised by the four towns of Orleans, Brewster, Wellfleet and Truro provided a Regional District is established by such towns.

Article 4. To do or act on anything which may legally come before the meeting.

You are hereby directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in North Eastham, and the Post-office in Eastham, seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this third

day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand  
Nine Hundred and Fifty Four.

Maurice W. Riley, Chairman  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, ss.

To Harry J. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts,  
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants  
of said town, qualified to vote in elections and Town  
affairs, to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the Four-  
teenth (14) day of December next at 8:00 o'clock in the  
evening, then and there to act on the following articles  
in this warrant:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer

Special Town Meeting December 14, 1954

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters  
met in the Auditorium, and there being a quorum  
present the meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M.  
by the Moderator, Prince W. Hurd Jr.

The call of the meeting was read by the Town  
Clerk, and the return of the constable who served  
the same.

The Moderator appointed Daniel W. Sparrow Jr., Prescott  
B. Cummings, George L. Gill, Theodore Trickle, and Clarence  
E. Walker as tellers, and they were duly sworn to their  
duties by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted unanimously to transfer the amount  
of 1027.71 from Surplus Revenue to the Aid to  
Dependent Children Account.

Article 2. Voted not to accept the provisions of  
Section Sixteen to Section I, inclusive of Chapter  
Seventy one.

of the General Laws, providing for the establishment of a  
Regional School District, together with the Towns of Brewster,  
Wellfleet, Taus and Orleans, and the construction, maintenance  
and operation of a regional school by the said district  
in accordance with the provisions of a proposed  
agreement filed with the selectmen.

No 117 Yrs 41

Article 3. Voted unanimously to indefinitely postpone  
Article 3

Article 4. Voted <sup>unanimously</sup> to request the Regional School Planning  
Board to:

1. Prepare carefully worked out estimates of building  
and operating costs for a 3 town Regional School.

2. If the preparation of such estimates and plans  
requires the expenditure of a sum of money for hiring  
the services of experts, the Town of Eastham should be  
informed of the amount of money required from Eastham  
so that a vote can be taken on the appropriation of  
such money either at a special or the Annual Town  
Meeting.

Minutes of meeting read and approved.

Meeting adjourned at 10:40 P.M.

L. Isabelle Barabetti  
Town Clerk

Selectmen's Appointments for 1955

Johanna S. Brooks

Register

Expires 3/1/55

1955

Annual Town Meeting Warrant  
Including Recommendations of the Eastham Finance Committee  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harry J. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the Twenty First (21) day of February next, at 7:00 o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall at 10:00 o'clock in the morning on Wednesday, the Twenty Third (23<sup>rd</sup>) day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary officers.

Rolls to Open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6:00 P.M.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to have a blackboard at the front of the hall, showing the effect on the tax rate of the various Articles in the Warrant, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension series.

No recommendation required

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will vote to dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the Town place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955 and issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of re-investment for the financial

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year beginning January 1, 1955 and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws. Recommended.

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed 1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 11, Section 74, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended 500.00

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from the Road Machinery Fund the sum of 1,000.00 for the purchase of a snow plow which can be attached to a road grader, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto. Recommended

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto. Recommended

Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways or take any action relative thereto. Recommended 4000.00

Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 1,000.00 for the purpose of enlarging the basin at Rock Harbor, so called, said sum to be spent in conjunction with State and County Funds. Recommended.

Article 12 To act on the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the selectmen and other Town officers and see if the Town will vote to raise or transfer from available funds in the Treasury sums of money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

Department

Recommendations of  
Dep't Heads & Finance  
Committee 1955

1. Accountant	1208.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1000.00
4. Appeal Board	250.00
5. Assessors Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditors note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1200.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	150.00
11. Custodian (Town Hall & Library)	2660.00
12. Dog Office Account	52.00
13. Election Registrations & Census	650.00
14. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
15. Fire Department	3425.00
16. Health	900.00
17. Highways - General	600.00
18. Insect Pest Control and Dutch Elm Disease	1170.00
19. Inspection of Animals	80.00
20. Insurance	600.00
21. Interest	3000.00
22. Legal Expense	1000.00
23. Library	750.00
24. Memorial Day	100.00
25. Miscellaneous	600.00
26. Office Club	1388.00
27. Old Cemetery	300.00
28. Old Windmill Case of Impoverishment	150.00
29. Planning Board	250.00
30. Police Department	6600.00
31. Public Amusement & Advertising	500.00
32. Public Welfare Services	
33. a Aid to Dependent Children	8000.00
34. b Disability Assistance	2500.00

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	D. Old Age Assistance	17000.00
33	Public Welfare Administration	1410.60
34	Recreation Commission	1000.00
35	Reserve (transfer from Overlay Reserve)	3000.00
36	Retirement	1000.00
37	School	67,385.00
38	School Lunch	200.00
39	School Notes (new building)	7000.00
40	Scales of weights & measures	110.00
41	Secretary of Finance Committee	50.00
42	Selectmen & Assessors Expense	900.00
43	Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
44	Snow	1000.00
45	Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
46	Surety on Bonds	300.00
47	Tax Titles	1700.00
48	Town Dump	1700.00
49	Town Hall	4000.00
50	Town Landings	4000.00
51	Town Reports	800.00
52	Treasurer, Collector, Clerk, Expense	950.00
53	Tree Warden	300.00
54	Veterans Service	2500.00
55	Vocational Education	500.00
56	Fire Inspections	250.00

Total 164,763.00

Article 13.	Unanimously Approved From Overlay Surplus	3000.00
	To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:	161,763.00
	Moderator	25.00
	Constable	50.00
	Road Surveyor	50.00
	Selectmen (600.00 each)	1800.00
	Board of Welfare (300.00 each)	900.00
	" Assessors (600.00 each)	1800.00
	Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	3000.00
	Approved	Total 7625.00

- Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser, and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one. *Recommended*
- Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 to be paid to the town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatcher service for the year, 1955. *Recommended*
- Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 2,500.00 to be spent under the provisions of Chapter 90, or take any action relative thereto. *Recommended*
- Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1954.
- Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the suppression and eradication of Poison Ivy, to be spent under the supervision of the Mth Superintendent.
- Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding band concerts in the ensuing year, or take any action relative thereto. *Recommended 300.00*
- Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 200.00 for the purpose of having the extra sheets of the so-called "Eastham Tercentenary Book" bound, or take any action relative thereto. *Recommended*
- Article 21 To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Moderator to appoint a special unpaid committee of three, to be known as a Regional School District Planning Committee under the provisions of Section 14 to 15 inclusive of Chapter 71 and amendments thereto of the General Laws and raise and appropriate the sum of 200.00 for said Committee's expense or take any action relative thereto. *This Committee to be recommended*

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instructed by the Town to investigate and submit it to the Town of Eastham a plan for a three town region.

Recommended

Article 22 To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-law, in accordance with Paragraph 1 of Section 2 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws:

No person shall behave in a rude, indecent, or disorderly manner or use profane, indecent or insulting language, or shout or scream, and or utter loud outcries without reasonable cause in any public place in the town, to the annoyance or disturbance of any person there being or passing or loiter on any sidewalk or street, or about doorway or places of business to the annoyance or disturbance of any person. Any person violating any of the provisions of this By-law shall be fined not more than twenty dollars for each offense.

No recommendation required

Article 23 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,800.00 for the purpose of putting a top on the bandstand, or take any action relative thereto.

Not recommended No. 6, Yes 2.

Article 24 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$18,000.00 for the purpose of a combination tank-pumper fire-truck, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 26 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to grade and place a black top surface on the road to the pond that borders on the South side of the Schoolhouse property or take any action relative thereto.

Article 25 To see if the Town will vote to accept from the Eastham Volunteer Fireman's Association one F. K. 4500, 3,000 watt Generator lights and wire, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 27 To see if the Town will vote to adopt the following By-law:

1-7 The removal of top soil and loam, from any parcel

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of land not in public use in the Town of Eastham, except as hereafter provided, shall be allowed only after a written permit therefor is obtained from the Board of Selectmen after a public hearing, if deemed necessary of which due notice is given.

1-2 In issuing a permit under this by-law, the Board of Selectmen may impose such conditions as it may deem necessary for the adequate protection of the neighborhood and the Town. Any conditions imposed by the Board shall be attached to and made part of the permit. The Board may, in addition, require a bond, certified check, or other security for compliance with said conditions or as evidence of good faith as to the completion of any proposed construction. The Board may further impose reasonable conditions as to the method of removal, the re-establishment of ground levels and grades, and the planting of the area as to suitable cover.

The Board may, after a public hearing, on proof or violation of any conditions revoke any permits so issued. No permit shall be issued under the provisions of this by-law for a period of more than three years.

1-3 Notwithstanding the provision of the above, the Board shall issue a permit for the removal of top soil or loam from any parcel of land in the Town where such removal is necessarily incidental to and in connection with construction of a road or other facility involving a permanent change in the use of the land. The Board shall issue no such permit unless it is reasonably satisfied that the construction will be completed and evidence thereof shall be made part of the records of the Board.

1-4 Removal of top soil or loam to the extent of 5 cubic yards in any calendar year shall be exempt from this by-law.

1-5 Whoever violates the provisions of any of these regulations shall be subject to a fine of not exceeding 20.00 dollars for each offense.

No recommendations required

Article 29 To see if the Town will vote to accept the lay-out of widening the corners at and near the junction of Transit and Schoolhouse roads with boundaries

1955 and measurements as reported and recommended by the Selectmen under date of December 1954, and will authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by gift, purchase or eminent domain in behalf of the Town the lands, or interest in lands within the lines of said layout for said Town way and for this purpose raise and appropriate the sum of 250.00 therefor.

Recommended

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to accept the lay-out of widening the corner South of Boat Meadow Bridge with boundaries and measurements as reported and recommended by the Selectmen under date of June 1954, and will authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by gift purchase or eminent domain in behalf of the Town the lands, or interest in lands, within the lines of said lay-out for said Town way, and for this purpose raise and appropriate the sum of 50.00 therefor.

Recommended

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee of three from the Eastham Improvement Society to work in conjunction with the Selectmen on a study of the erosion on the Bay shore and to report their findings at the next Annual Town Meeting or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 32. To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

No recommendation required

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in North Eastham, and the Post Office in Eastham, seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Do not fail not, and make due return of this warrant, with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand

1955 Nine Hundred and Fifty-Five (1955)

Maurice W. Riley  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

Annual Town Meeting Minutes Feb. 21, 1955

Pursuant to the warrant, the Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by the Moderator. There being a quorum present, the call of the meeting was read by the Town Clerk, and there being no objections, the reading of the Articles was omitted. Theodore Finkle and Daniel W. Sparrow were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to have a blackboard at the front of the hall, showing the effect on the tax rate of the various articles in the warrant.

Unanimous <sup>voice</sup> vote.

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension service, and as Joseph A. Buttram was nominated the Moderator instructed the Town Clerk to cast one ballot thus electing him.

Unanimous voice vote.

Article 3. Voted to place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the library.

Unanimous voice vote.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous voice vote.

Article 5 Voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1955, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 6 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 7 Voted to appropriate from the Road Machinery fund the sum of 1000.00 for the purpose of purchasing a snow plow which can be attached to a Road Grader.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 8 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 9 Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents each for wood chunks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 7000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81 Highway work and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury to meet the State's share of the work, the reimbursement from the State to be received upon receipt to unappropriated available funds in the Treasury.

Article 11 Voted to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 1000.00 for the purpose enlarging the basin at Rock Harbor as called, said sum to be spent in conjunction with State & County Funds.

Unanimous Voice vote

Article 12 Voted to accept the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$161,763.00 for the same.

Department		Rec. of Dept. Madeleine Finnell Comm. 1955 1208.00
1. Accountant		
2. Accountant Expense		250.00
3. Ambulance Hire		1000.00
4. Appeal Board		250.00
5. Assessors Abstracts		200.00
6. Auditorium Note		3000.00
7. Building Inspector		1200.00
8. Certification of Notes		10.00
9. Christmas Tree		150.00
10. Civilian Defense		150.00
11. Custodian		2600.00
12. Dog Officer		52.00
13. Election Registration & Census		650.00
14. Finance Committee		25.00
15. Fire Dept.		3425.00
16. Health		900.00
17. Highway - General		600.00
18. Insect Pest Control & Dutch Elm Disease		1170.00
19. Inspector of Animals		80.00
20. Insurance		600.00
21. Interest		3000.00
22. Legal Expense		1000.00
23. Library		750.00
24. Memorial Day		100.00
25. Miscellaneous		600.00
26. Office Clerk		1288.00
27. Old Cemetery		300.00
28. Old Windmill Care & Improvement		150.00
29. Planning Board		250.00
30. Police Dept.		6600.00
31. Public Amusement and Advertising		500.00
32. Public Welfare Bureau		
a. Risk to Dependent Children		8000.00

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B. Disability Assistance 2500.00  
 C. General Relief 3000.00  
 D. Old Age Assistance 17,000.00

33. Public Welfare Administration 1410.00  
 34. Recreation Commission 1000.00  
 35. Reserve (Transfer from Overlay Surplus) 3000.00  
 36. Retirement 1000.00  
 37. School 67,385.00  
 38. School Lunch 800.00  
 39. School Notes (New Building) 7000.00  
 40. Sealer Rights & Measures 110.00  
 41. Secretary of Finance Comm. 50.00  
 42. Selectmen and Assessors Expense 900.00  
 43. Shellfish Protection & Propagation 1500.00  
 44. Snow 1000.00  
 45. Soldiers & Sailors Lots 50.00  
 46. Surety on Bonds 300.00  
 47. Tax Titles 1700.00  
 48. Town Dump 1700.00  
 49. Town Hall 4000.00  
 50. Town Landings 4000.00  
 51. Town Reports 800.00  
 52. Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense 950.00  
 53. Tree Warden 300.00  
 54. Veterans Service (4000.00 from Available Funds) 2500.00  
 55. Vocational Educational 500.00  
 56. Wire Inspectors 250.00

Total 164,763.00

From Overlay Surplus 3000.00  
 161,763.00

Article 13. Voted to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws as amended, and raise and appropriate the sum of 7625.00 for salaries as follows:

Moderator 25.00  
 Constable 50.00  
 Road Surveyor 50.00  
 Selectmen (600.00 each) 1800.00  
 Board of Welfare (300.00 each) 900.00  
 Assessors (600.00 each) 1800.00  
 Treasurer Collector Clerk 3000.00  
 7625.00

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 14 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser, and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

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Article 15 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for dispatcher service for the year 1955  
 Unanimous voice vote

Article 16 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2500.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 90 Highway work and that in addition the sum of 7500.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury to meet the State & County's share of the work, the reimbursements from the State & County to be restored upon their receipt to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 17 Indefinitely postponed

Article 18 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the suppression and eradication of Poison Ivy to be spent under the supervision of the North Superintendent  
 Carried - Voice Vote

Article 19 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 300.00 for the purpose of holding 2 band concerts in the ensuing year, the Chatham Band being engaged for same.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 20 Voted to appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of 200.00 for the purpose of having the extra sheets of the so-called "Eastham Tercentenary Book" bound.

Unanimous Voice vote

Article 21 Voted to instruct the moderator to appoint a special unpaid Committee of three to be known as a Regional School District Planning Committee under the provisions of Section 14 to 15 inclusive

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of Chapter 71 and amendments thereto of the General Laws and raise and appropriate the sum of 200.00 for said Committee's expense or take any action relative thereto. This Committee to be instructed by the Town to investigate and submit to the Town of Eastham a plan for a three town Region.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 22 Voted to adopt the following by-law in accordance with Paragraph 1 of Section 21 of Chapter 40 of the General Laws:

No person shall behave in a rude, indecent or disorderly manner or use profane, indecent or insulting language or shout, scream or utter loud oaths or curses without reasonable cause in any public place in the town to the annoyance or disturbance of any person there being or passing, or loiter on any sidewalk or street, or about doorways or places of business to the annoyance or disturbance of any person. Any person violating any of the provisions of this by-law shall be fined not more than twenty dollars for each offense.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 23 Voted <sup>not</sup> to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00 for the purpose of putting a top on the bandstand.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 24 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 14,500.00 for the purchase of a tank-pumper fire truck to have a 1000 gal. tank, a pump with a minimum capacity of 600 G.P.M. and to include radio, hose, alternator, nozzles and one 35 ft. ladder and the minimum state requirements.

9.0 yes 28 no

Article 25 Voted to accept from the Eastham Volunteer Fireman's Association one F.H. 4500 3000 watt generator, lights and wire.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 26 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 to grade a place a black top surface on the road to the pond that borders on the South side of the schoolhouse property.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 27 Voted to adopt the following by-law:

1-1 The removal of top soil and loam from any parcel of land not in public use in the Town of Eastham except as hereinafter provided, shall be allowed only after a written permit therefor is obtained from the Board of Selectmen after a public hearing if deemed necessary of which due notice is given.

1-2 In issuing a permit under this by-law, the Board of Selectmen may impose such conditions as it may deem necessary for the adequate protection of the neighborhood and the Town. Any conditions imposed by the Board shall be attached to, and made part of the permit. The Board may, in addition require a bond, certified check or other security for compliance with said conditions or as evidence of good faith as to the completion of any proposed construction. The Board may further impose reasonable conditions as to the method of removal, the re-establishment of ground levels and grades, and the planting of the area as a suitable cover.

The Board may, after a public hearing on proof of violation of any conditions revoke any permits so issued. No permit shall be issued under the provisions of this by-law for a period of more than three years.

1-3 Notwithstanding the provisions of the above, the Board shall not issue a permit for the removal of top soil or loam from any parcel of land in the town when such removal is necessarily incidental to and in connection with the construction of a road or other facility involving a permanent change in the use of the land. The Board shall issue no permit unless it is reasonably satisfied that the construction will be completed and evidence thereof shall be made part of the records of the Board.

1-4 Removal of top soil or loam to the extent of 5 cubic yards in any calendar year shall be exempt

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from this by law.

5 Whoever violates the provisions of any of these regulations shall be subject to a fine of not exceeding twenty dollars for each offense.

Una 56 Jan, 11 no

Article 28 Voted to indefinitely postpone

Article 29 Voted to accept the layout of widening the curbs at and near the junction of Main and Schoolhouse Roads, with boundaries and measurements as reported and recommended by the selectmen under date of December 1954, and will authorize and instruct the selectmen to take by gift, purchase or eminent domain in behalf of the town, the lands, or interest in lands, within the lines of said layout for said town way, and for this purpose raise and appropriate the sum of 250.00 therefor.

Unanimous voice vote.

Article 30 Voted to accept the layout of widening the curbs south of Boat Meadow Bridge, with boundaries and measurements as reported and recommended by the selectmen under date of June 1954 and will authorize and instruct the selectmen to take by gift, purchase or eminent domain in behalf of said town the lands or interest in lands within the lines of said layout for said town way, and to raise and appropriate the sum of 50.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 31 Voted to instruct the Moderator to appoint a committee of three from the Eastham Improvement Society, to work in conjunction with the selectmen on a study of the erosion on the Bay shore and to report their findings at the next Annual Town meeting.

Mrs. Norris Pinault, president of the Eastham Improvement Society, was present, and introduced to the Assembly. The Moderator, granted him the Courtesy of addressing the meeting and he

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Gave an outline, in brief of the purpose of the newly formed society.

The Moderator made the following appointments to the Eastham Finance Committee:

James Leach

William Hokkenam

Dr. Carl Skyllberg

The town accepted with thanks a gift of a wheel chair from Mrs. Yngve E. Bengner in memory of her parents Mrs. and Mrs. Jorgu More, and the town clerk was instructed to cast one vote approving same.

After the reading of the minutes the meeting was adjourned at 11:10 P. M.

L. Isabelle Brackett, Town Clerk

The Moderator announced the following committees

Bureau of the Fire Engine

John Wilfuty

Clarence Daugherty

James Johnston Jr.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins Jr.

Regional School

Jay Schofield

Elizabeth C. Collins

Alton Crosby

Soil Conservation

Edward H. Gillespie

Norris Pinault

Bredie P. Lacey

Maurice W. Wiley

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Jay Schofield & Elizabeth Collins refused the appointments on Regional School Committee. On 3/23/55, the Moderator appointed Rebecca Sherman and Theodore Hicks to serve on this Committee, replacing Jay Schofield & Elizabeth Collins. Mrs. Antonette Vander May was appointed to replace Mrs. Sherman.

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## Annual Election, February 23, 1955

The Annual Election of Town Officers was held this day in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting was called to order, by the presiding election officer, Luther P. Smith at 9:55 A.M.

The following persons having been appointed to serve as Election Officers, were duly sworn to office by the Town Clerk:

Robert Hathaway

Albert Main

John Grogan

George Duffy Jr.

The ballot box was examined and found to register zero, and the Polls declared open at 10: A.M.

At 6:00 P.M. the Polls were declared closed. There were 51 Absentee Ballots cast making a total of 360 cast for the day.

The ballot box stood at 360, and the voting list showed a like number of names as having been checked.

Following is a result of the voting.

Moderator	1 yr.	Clarence E. Doughty	630 <sup>ths</sup>
		Prince H. Hurd Jr.	293 "
		Blanks	4 "

Selectman, Assessors, Board	3 yrs.	Maurice W. Bailey	267 "
of Relief, Board of Health		Yngve E. Brangner	91 "
		Blanks	2 "

Constable	1 yr.	Harvey T. Moore	306 "
		Manuel P. Escobar	67 "
		Blanks	3 "

Highway Surveyor	1 yr.	Nathan E. Dickerson	324
		Blanks	36

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School Committee

3 yrs. Alton C. Crosby  
Blanks

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49

Library Trustee

3 yrs. Lorna B. Horton  
Blanks

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42

Planning Board

5 yrs. Bernard C. Collins Jr.  
Blanks

313

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Recreation Commission

5 yrs. LeRoy R. Babbitt  
Blanks

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As the Town Clerk read the results of the election, those who had the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding election officer.

At 7:45 P.M. the meeting adjourned the total number of ballots cast being 360 out of a possible 663 on the voting list

Loisabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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## Selectmen's Appointments for 1955

Special Agent Board of Health	3/1/56	Fred L. More
Members Finance Committee	3/1/58	Dr. James Leach
"	3/1/58	Dr. Carl Skyllberg
"	3/1/58	William H. Hohenstein
Registrar	3/1/58	Johnna S. Brooks
Dog Officer, Inspector of Animals	3/1/56	James Leach
Inspector of Slaughterhouses, Inspector of Round House Slaughterhouses	3/8/56	
Sanitary Inspector	3/1/56	George F. Crocker
"	3/1/56	Ernest Oldridge
Fence Viewer	3/1/56	Nathan L. Clark
"	3/1/56	Winifred J. Knowles
Board of Appeals	3/1/58	David L. Dineen
Moth Superintendent	3/1/56	Robert L. Schneider
General Office Clerk	3/1/56	Genevieve Schneider
Town Accountant	3/1/58	
Policeman	3/1/56	Robert Deschamps
Custodian Town Hall & Library	3/1/56	Grace Moore
Supt. Town Dump	3/1/56	Antone Escher
Inspector of Buses	3/1/56	Ernest Bellabury
"	3/1/56	Maurice G. Moore
Inspector of Weights & Measures	3/1/56	Stanley M. Walker
Fire Chief & Forest Fire Warden	3/1/56	John H. Hefley
Shellfish Constable	3/1/56	Howard L. Anderson
Building Inspector	3/1/56	Ralph Rogers
Veteran's Agent & Burial Agent	3/1/56	Ralph Q. Chase
Civilian Defense Director	3/1/56	Luther Brown
Welfare Worker	3/1/56	Donna Mays
Police Chief	3/1/56	Winifred Knowles
7/14/55 Lifeguard	John Day 1955	Anthony Whitman
Policeman		James W. Moore
"		Lewis Beane
"		Nathan Weber

June 9, 1955

Mrs. Eugene E. Pangner  
Eastham, Mass.

My Dear Mrs. Pangner:

Please accept the most sincere thanks of the Town of Eastham for the gift of a wheel chair, given by you in memory of your parents, Mr. & Mrs. George Moore. The wheel chair is now in the custody of the Fire Department, in accordance with your wishes, and will be most deeply appreciated by the people who have to use it.

Very Truly Yours,  
Maurine W. Riley, chm.  
Luther P. Smith

Attest Copy:  
L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, ss.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday, the first day of November next at 7:30 o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant:

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to the Old Age Assistance Account.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote a transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to the Aid to Dependent Children Account.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 2000.00 to install a new boiler heater unit and oil burner in the Town Hall and present units to be tracked in as a credit towards the new one.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to sell the moth truck or take any action there to.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to transfer from unappropriated funds in the Treasury a sum of money to the Town Hall Account.

Article 6. To do or act on anything that may legally come before the meeting.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post office in North Eastham, and the Post office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not and make due return

of this warrant with your doings hereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting. Given under our hands and seals the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October in the year of our Lord, One thousand nine hundred & Fifty Five.

Maurice W. Riley, Chron.  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

Minutes of Special Town Meeting  
Pursuant to the warrant, the Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the Moderator, Prince H. Howard Jr. There being a quorum present the call of the meeting was read by the Town Clerk, and, there being no objections the reading of the Articles was omitted. Richard Vanderway and Bernard C. Collins Jr. were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 2000.00 to the Old Age Assistance account.

Unanimous Vote

Article 2. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 1000.00 to the Aid to Dependent Children Account.

Unanimous Vote

Article 3. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 1500.00 to install a new boiler heater unit and oil burner in the Town Hall and present units to be tracked in as a credit towards the new one. 21 Yes, 1 No.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the selectmen to sell the moth truck.

Unanimous Vote

Article 5. Voted to transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 700.00 to the Town Hall Account.

Unanimous Vote.

Meeting adjourned at 8:20 P.M.

Leabelle Beckett Town Clerk

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## Annual Town Meeting Warrant

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
(With Finance Committee Recommendations)

Barnstable ss,

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the  
inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in  
elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town  
Hall on Monday, the Twentieth (20) day of February  
next at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there  
to act on the following Articles in this warrant, and  
to meet in the Town Hall at 10:00 o'clock in the  
morning on Tuesday, the Twenty-First (21) day of  
February next, then and there to elect all necessary  
officers.

Polls to open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6:00 P.M.)

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to have a blackboard  
at the front of the hall showing the effect on the  
tax rates of the various articles in the warrant  
or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required.

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town  
Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

No recommendation required.

Article 3 To see in what manner the Town will vote  
to dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the Town place the  
refunded Dog Tax at the disposal of the Public  
Library.

Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to dispose of its  
refunded

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer  
with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow  
money from time to time, in anticipation of the  
revenue of the financial year beginning January  
1, 1956, and issue a note or notes payable  
in one year, and renew any note or notes as  
may be given for a period of less than one year

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in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws  
Recommended.

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer,  
with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from  
time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the  
financial year beginning Jan. 1, 1956, and to issue  
a note or notes therefor payable in one year and to  
renew any note or notes as may be given for a period  
of less than one year in accordance with Section  
17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Recommended

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate  
a sum of money not to exceed 1,000.00 for the establish-  
ment and maintenance of a fund in the Cape Cod  
Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment  
of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of  
the Town and unable to pay for such care and  
treatment in accordance with Chapter 111, Section  
24, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 500.00

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to raise and  
appropriate a sum of money to install and  
maintain a fire alarm system, to include North  
Eastham, the Elementary School, and the present  
system, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 1100.00 (By Request)

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the  
Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title  
proceedings by the Town, and raise and appro-  
priate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose, or take  
any action relative thereto.

Recommended 500.00

Article 9 To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of  
fifty Cents (50¢) each for woodchucks killed  
within its boundaries during the ensuing  
year and raise and appropriate the sum  
of 30.00 for this purpose or take any action  
relative thereto.

Recommended

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Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 8.1 Highways, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended the sum of 4000.00 be transferred from Available Funds.

Article 11 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1200.00 for the purpose of having a road layout made of Nasut Road from the Corner at Walter Matthews to Route 6 in North Eastham. Recommended.

Article 12 To act on the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate sums of money for the same, or take any action relative thereto:

	Dept. Head	Finance Comm.
1 Accountant	1312.00	
2 Accountant Expense	250.00	
3 Ambulance Hire	1500.00	
4 Appeal Board	250.00	
5 Assessors Abstracts	200.00	
6 Auditorium Note	3000.00	
7 Building Inspector	1200.00	
8 Certification of Notes	10.00	
9 Christmas Tree	150.00	
10 Civilian Defense	500.00	
11 Custodians	2808.00	
12 Dog Officer Account	52.00	
13 Dutch Elm Disease	320.00	
14 Election and Registrations	650.00	
15 Finance Committee Expense	25.00	
16 Fire Department	4015.00	
17 Health	900.00	
18 Highway - General	2000.00	
19 Insect Pest Control	1150.00	850.00
20 Inspector of Animals	80.00	
21 Insurance	600.00	
22 Interest	3000.00	

Finance Comm.

	Dept. Head	Finance Comm.
23 Legal Expense	1000.00	
24 Library	1000.00	750.00
25 Memorial Day	100.00	
26 Miscellaneous	600.00	
27 Office Clerk	1392.00	
28 Old Cemetery	300.00	
29 Old Windmill Care & Improvement	400.00	150.00
30 Planning Board	250.00	150.00
31 Police Department	7800.00	
32 Public Improvement & Redistricting	500.00	
33 Public Works	2500.00	
34 Public Welfare Adm.	1554.00	
35 Recreation Commission	1500.00	
36 Reserve	5000.00 (From Overlay Surplus)	
37 Retirement	1162.17	
38 School	78,557.00	
39 School Lunch	800.00	
40 School Notes	7000.00	
41 Sealer, Weights & Measures	120.00	
42 Sec. Finance Comm.	50.00	
43 Selectmen & Assessors Exp.	900.00	
44 Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00	
45 Snow	1000.00	
46 Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00	
47 Surety on Bonds	350.00	
48 Tax Title	1550.00	
49 Town Dump	1800.00	
50 Town Hall	4000.00	
51 Town Landings	4000.00	
52 Town Reports	1000.00	
53 Treas. Coll. Clerk Expense	1050.00	
54 Tree Warden	300.00	
55 Veterans Service	3800.00	
56 Vocational Education	500.00	
57 Wire Inspection	250.00	
		189,607.17 - Total
		less 5000.00 (town Res.)
		184,607.17

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Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:

Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (600.00 each)	1800.00
Cassars (600.00 each)	1800.00
Board of Welfare (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	3500.00
	8125.00

Recommended

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Recommended

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire, and Police Dispatcher Service for the year 1956.

Recommended

Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1955.

Recommended

Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 400.00 for the suppression and eradication of Poison Ivy to be spent under the supervision of the Moth Superintendent.

Recommended

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Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1000.00 for the purpose of locating five (5) cisterns, totaling 7000 gallons storage on Town owned property or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 1000.00 for Greenhead Fly Control, as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252 General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the State Treasury.

No recommendation

(By Request)

Article 21 To see if the Town will vote to lease the Ball Field in North Eastham, from Mr. Fred LaPrade for a period of ten years (10) and raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for grading and maintenance or take any action relative thereto.

Not recommended

(By Request)

Article 22 To see if the Town will vote to increase the present wage scale of Town employed laborer from one dollar and Twenty Five Cents (1.25) per hour to One dollar and Fifty Cents (1.50) per hour.

Not recommended

(By Request)

Article 23 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the purpose of surveying the boundary line between the Towns of Wellfleet and Eastham.

Recommended

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Article 24 To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting paragraph C under the section marked "Definition", relating to temporary signs.

Article 25 To see if the Town will vote to amend paragraph 8 of Section III of the Zoning by-law by inserting before the word "any" the words "an approval of the Board of Appeals."

Article 26 To see if the Town will vote to amend Paragraph 9 of Section III of the Zoning By-Law, by inserting before the word "agricultural," the words "an approval of the Board of Appeals."

Article 27 To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law as follows: by deleting Paragraph 10 in its entirety under Section III.

Article 28 To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding after Paragraph 13, Section III, the following paragraph to be known as paragraph 14:

"Accessory use on the same lot with and customarily incident to any of the above permitted uses and not detrimental to a residential neighborhood. The term "accessory use" in this section shall not include

a. Garage space of more than two automobiles except as authorized by the selectmen.

b. Signs, except those pertaining to the lease sale or use of a lot or building, and such signs or signs shall not be more than two in number, each sign to contain not more than twelve square feet."

Article 29 To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning by-law by deleting from Paragraph 1 Section VI, the words "In Districts A & B, no dwelling or business building shall be built on a lot with a frontage on an accepted way of less than 135 feet, nor with an area of less than 20,000 feet," and inserting therefore, "In Districts A and B only one dwelling or structure shall be built on a lot and no lot shall have a frontage of less

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than 135 feet on any way, nor contain less than 20,000 square feet."

Article 30 To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by adding after Paragraph 1, Section VI, the following paragraphs:

### 2. Front Yards

In Districts A, B, C, and D, there shall be provided in front of each and every structure a front yard of not less than thirty (30) feet of clear width between the building and the lines of the way or ways. Projecting eaves and uncovered steps shall not be considered as coming within the meaning of this section.

### 3. Back yards

Behind every structure in Districts A and B, there shall be provided a back yard, between the rear line of the structure and the rear lot line of not less than twenty-five feet in depth. Provided, however, that the building lines of structures, <sup>which are equivalent to the word "projecting eaves"</sup> for human habitation shall not be nearer to the side or rear lot lines, than twelve feet, or nearer to the nearest boundary of any public way than thirty feet. In Districts C and D behind each structure there shall be provided a back yard between the rear lot line of not less than twelve (12) feet and in such buildings in the Districts C and D behind each structure there shall be provided a back yard between the rear lot line of not less than twelve (12) feet and in such buildings in the Districts C and D there shall be a fire proof rear wall.

### 4. Side Yards

At the side of each dwelling or structure in Districts A & B there shall be a side yard of not less than twenty-five feet in clear width between the side of the structure and the side lot line. In Districts C and D at each side of the structure there shall be a side yard of not less than ten feet in clear width between the side of the structure and the side lot line, providing however, that if the abutting owner agrees to put

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to put a fireproof party wall, then the building may be built upon such party wall.

5. If the Building Inspector finds that adjacent buildings for a reasonable distance on either side of the property on which the applicant proposes to build, conform to some substantially common front line, the Building Inspector may require the applicant to build, conform to some substantially common line, the Building Inspector may require the applicant also to conform thereto regarding the class of construction and use of the proposed structure.

Article 31 To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by adding after Paragraph 5, Section VI the following paragraph to be known as Paragraph 6:  
"In any district in this zoning by-law, there shall not be allowed the neon-type signs, so-called, or gas filled illuminated type signs nor shall such gas filled tube or neon type be permitted to adorn the building, structure or premises."

Article 32 To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by adding after Paragraph C, Section VIII, the following paragraph to be known as Paragraph D:  
"Any person aggrieved by reason of his inability to obtain a permit from any administrative official hereunder, or any person aggrieved by any order of abatement of the enforcing officer of this by-law in violation of any provision of Chapter 40A of the General Laws as amended shall be entitled within twenty days thereof to file an appeal with the Board of Appeals."

Article 33 To see if the Town will vote to amend the by-law regulating the construction reconstruction and location of buildings (Building Code) by deleting Article 11, Section 1.

Article 34 To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

No recommendations required.

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You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in No. Eastham, and the Post-office in Eastham, seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, to the Town clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Six.

Maurice W. Wiley, Chm.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

Annual Town Meeting Held at Eastham Auditorium  
February 20, 1956 The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Prairie Point. At the warrant the Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M., by the Moderator Prairie W. Head Jr. & the prayer offered by Harold Arnold. The Call of the meeting was read by the Town clerk, and, there being no objections, the reading of the Articles was omitted. Harold Jennings & Harold Arnold were appointed tellers and duly sworn by the Town clerk. Voted to have a blackboard at the front of the hall showing the effect on the tax rate of the various articles in the warrant.

Article 1.

Article 2. Voted to elect Joseph Putnam Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Article 3. Voted, that the town place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1956 and issue a notes or notes therefor, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of

less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice vote

Article 5 Voted to authorize the Treasurer with approval of the selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1956, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous voice vote.

Article 6 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass., for the care and treatment of persons certified by the selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice vote

Article 7 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1100.00 to install and maintain a fire alarm system, to include North Eastham, the Elementary School, and the present system.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 8 Voted to authorize the selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 9 Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents (50¢) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year, and raise and appropriate the sum of 300.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 4000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81 highway work and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the

treasury to meet the state share of the work, the reimbursement from the state to be restored upon receipt, to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 11 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1,200.00 for the purpose of having a road lay-out made of Hamet Road from the corner at Walter MacPherson's to Route 6, in North Eastham.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 12 Voted to accept the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the selectmen and their <sup>Town</sup> officers and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$185,107.17 for the same.

1. Accountant	1312.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	250.00
5. Association Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditorium Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1200.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	500.00
11. Custodian	2808.00
12. Dog Officer Account	52.00
13. Dutch Elm Disease	320.00
14. Election & Registration	650.00
15. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
16. Fire Department	4015.00
17. Health	900.00
18. Highways - General	2000.00
19. Insect Pest Control	1150.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	600.00
22. Interest	3000.00
23. Legal Expense	1000.00
24. Library	1500.00
25. Memorial Day	100.00
26. Miscellaneous	600.00
27. Office Clerk	1392.00
28. Old Cemetery	300.00

29. Old windmill Care <sup>&amp; Improvement</sup>	400.00
30. Planning Board	250.00
31. Police Department	7800.00
32. Public Amusement <sup>&amp; Advertising</sup>	500.00
33. Public Welfare Services	7000.00
34. Public Welfare Administration	1557.00
35. Recreation Commission	1500.00
36. Reserve (Transfer from Overlay Surplus)	5000.00
37. Retirement	1162.17
38. School	78,557.00
39. School Lunch	800.00
40. School Notes (New Building)	7000.00
41. Scales of Weights <sup>&amp; Measures</sup>	120.00
42. Secretary of Finance Committee	50.00
43. Selectmen <sup>&amp; Cassan Expense</sup>	900.00
44. Shellfish Protection <sup>&amp; Propagation</sup>	1500.00
45. Snow	1000.00
46. Soldiers <sup>&amp; Sailors Lots</sup>	50.00
47. Surety on Bonds	350.00
48. Tap Tiller	1550.00
49. Town Dump	1800.00
50. Town Hall	4000.00
51. Town Landings	4000.00
52. Town Reports	1000.00
53. Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense	1050.00
54. Tree Garden	300.00
55. Veterans Benefits	3800.00
56. Vocational Education	500.00
57. Wire Inspections	250.00
	195,207.17
	5000.00
	185,207.17

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 13. Voted to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:

Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (600.00 each)	1800.00

Assessor (600.00 each)	1800.00
Board of Relief (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	3500.00
	8,125.00

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 14. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$800.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser, and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans, for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatches during for the year 1956.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 16. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$193 for the unpaid bills of 1955.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 17. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$400.00 for the suppression and eradication of Poison Ivy to be spent under the supervision of the Moth Superintendent.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 18. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$450.00 for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year, said moneys to be spent at the discretion of the Selectmen.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 19. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 for the purpose of locating five (5) cisterns, of 7000 gallons each, on Town owned property for fire fighting purposes and to appoint a committee of three, said appointment to be made by the Moderator, to be in charge.

Article 20. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000.00 for Greenhead Fly Control as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the

## State Treasury.

Unanimous Voice Vote.

Article 21. Voted to lease the Ball Park at North Eastham, from Mr. Fred LaPrade for a period of ten years and raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for grading and maintenance.

78 yes 8 no

Article 22. Voted to increase the present wage scale of Town employed laborers from one dollar and twenty five cents (1.25) per hour to one dollar and fifty cents (1.50) per hour.

Unanimous Vote.

Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the purpose of surveying the boundary line between the Town of Wellfleet and Eastham.

Unanimous Vote.

Article 24. Voted that action on Articles 24 through Article 33 be postponed for 90 days and that the sponsors of these Articles be directed by this vote to hold at least two well advertised public meetings for the purpose of informing and discussing with the voters, the intent and purpose of each article.

74 yes 28 no

Article 25. The moderator announced that the appointments of the Fire Cistern Committee and the Finance Committee would be made within the week.

The minutes were read by the Town Clerk, and the meeting adjourned at 10:05 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

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The moderator announced the appointments to the Finance Committee would be as follows:

Joseph L. Putnam, Edward J. Brown, Ralph L. Chomley.  
L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

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## Appointments by Selectmen, 1956

Police Chief	Winfred J. Howdler	Term Expires	3/1/57
Police Officer	Lewis Beane	"	3/1/57
Police Officer	Howard Anderson	"	3/1/57
Police Officer	Wesley B. Moore	"	3/1/57
Police Officer	Nathan Weber	"	3/1/57
Social Worker	Dorrie Mayo	"	3/1/57
Building Inspector	Ralph L. Rogers	"	3/1/57
Shellfish Comptroller	Howard L. Anderson	"	3/1/57
Town Dump Supt.	Deputy Allan S. Enbette	"	3/1/57
Fire Inspector	Ernest Pillebury Jr.	"	3/1/57
Maurice A. Moore	Fire Inspector	"	3/1/57
Veterans Agent & Revival	Ralph A. Chase	"	3/1/57
Math Superintendent	Robert L. Schneider	"	3/1/57
Office Clerk	Genevieve Schneider	"	3/1/57
Associate Member Bd. of Appeals	John D. Leary	"	3/1/57
Dog Officer & Pound Keeper	Dr. James Leach	"	3/1/57
Sanitary Inspector	Ernest C. Eldredge	"	3/1/57
	George F. Crocker	"	3/1/57
Fire Chief	John Helferty	"	3/1/57
Special Agent Bd. of Health	Dr. Fred Moore	"	3/1/57
Associate Member Board of Appeals	Robert A. Abbott	"	3/1/57
Dealer Rights of Measures	Stanley M. Walker	"	3/1/57
Bd. of Registrars	George E. Duffy	"	3/1/57

John Helferty, Alonzo L. Gell & Arthur C. Dickerson were appointed to the Fire Cistern Committee May 22, 1956.

The Annual Town Meeting - commenced at 8 P.M. on May 21, 1956 and was called to order by the Town Clerk. In the absence of the Moderator Prince H. Hurd, Bernard E. Collins was elected temporary moderator with 30 votes against 6 cast for Stanley E. Hutton Jr. Daniel L. Mead and Ralph L. Rogers were appointed tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

After some discussion Articles 24 to 33 inclusive were indefinitely postponed.

The meeting adjourned at 9:10 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

Appointments John Jurgies July 16 Town Dump Expires 3/1/57  
John M. Clark " 16 Life Guard " 9/3/56

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Annual Town Election February 21, 1956.

The Annual election of Town Officers were held this day in the Eastham Auditorium, the meeting was called to order by the presiding election officer Maurice W. Noley, at 9.55 A.M.

The following persons having been appointed to serve as Election Tellers <sup>and officers</sup> were duly sworn by the Town Clerk:

Elgie C. Milliken

Harold Arnold

George Duffy

Luther P. Smith

Maurice W. Noley

The ballot box was examined and found to register zero and the Polls were declared open at 10: A.M.

At 6 P.M. the Polls were declared closed. There were 42 Absentee ballots cast, making a total of 369 Cast for the day.

The ballot box stood at 369 and the voting list showed a like number as having been checked.

Following is a result of the voting:

Moderator	1 yr.	Prince H. Hurd Jr.	355 votes
		Blanks	14 "

Selectmen, Assessors Board		Bernard C. Collins	261 "
of Health, Board of Health	3 yrs.	Maurice A. Moore	103 "
		Blanks	4 "
		Prince Hurd	1 "

Constable	1 yr.	Harvey T. Moore	350 "
		Blanks	19 "

Highway Surveyor	1 yr.	Nathan A. Dickerson	352 "
		Blanks	17 "

School Committee	3 yrs.	Elizabeth F. Collins	323 "
		Blanks	46 "

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Library Trustee

3 yrs.

Margaret J. Campbell

343 votes

Blanks

26 "

Tree Warden

3 yrs.

Robert L. Schroeder

138 "

Charles P. Escobar

105 "

Ernest M. Moore

117 "

Maurice C. Moore

2 "

Blanks

7 "

Planning Board

5 yrs.

Clarence E. Doughty

324 "

Blanks

45 "

Recreation Commission

5 yrs.

Howard C. Brewer

332 "

Blanks

37 "

As the Town Clerk read the results of the Election those who had the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding Election Officer.

At 7:00 P.M. the meeting adjourned the total number of ballots cast being 369 out of a possible 679 on the Voting list.

L. Isabelle Brackets

Town Clerk

Eastham, Mass.

May 9, 1956

Mrs. Isabelle Brackets

Town Clerk

Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackets:

At a meeting held May 8, 1956, the Eastham Finance Committee elected David L. Mead, as chairman for the year 1956.

Respectfully Yours

Robert O. Abbott

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April 24

# Presidential Primary Warrant The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss

To the constable of the Town of Eastham: Greeting:  
In the name of the Commonwealth, you  
are hereby directed to notify and warn the  
inhabitants of said town who are qualified to  
vote in Primaries to meet in the Eastham  
Town Hall on Tuesday the twenty-fourth (24<sup>th</sup>)  
day of April, 1956 at noon for the  
following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary  
Offices for the Election of Candidates of Political  
Parties for the following offices:

- 10 Delegates at Large to the National Convention  
of the Republican Party
- 10 alternate Delegates at Large to the National  
Convention of the Republican Party
- 24 Delegates at Large to the National Convention  
of the Democratic Party
- 24 alternate Delegates at Large to the National  
Convention of the Democratic Party
- 2 District Delegates to the National Convention of  
the Republican Party 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional Dist.
- 2 alternate District Delegates to the National  
Convention of the Republican Party 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional Dist.
- 4 District Delegates to the National Convention of  
the Democratic Party 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional Dist.
- 2 alternate District Delegates to the National Convention  
of the Democratic Party 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District
- District members of State Committee - (one man  
and one woman for each party political  
for the 9<sup>th</sup> Congressional District
- 20 Members of the Republican Town Committee
- 6 Members of the Democratic Town Committee

Presidential Preference

The polls will be open from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Hereafter not and make return of their  
warrant with your doing thereon at the

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time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this day of  
April A.D., 1956.

Maurice W. Riley  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen of Eastham

A true Copy  
Attest:

Harvey T. Moore, Constable

April 24, 1956

Presidential Primaries, April 24, 1956

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the inhabitants of  
the Town of Eastham, met at the Eastham Town Hall, the  
warrant calling the Primary was read by the Town Clerk,  
together with the return of the officer who served same.  
Officers appointed and sworn to serve at this meeting  
were

Polls opened at 12<sup>00</sup> noon and closed at 6 P.M.  
The ballot box stood at 000 at the opening. Ballots were  
cast as follows:

Democrat	
Delegates at Large to National Convention	
John F. Kennedy	122 Bowdoin St. Boston
Paul G. Dean	86 Buckingham St. Cambridge
John W. McCarmack	726 Columbia Rd. Boston
John B. Hyne	31 Driscoll St. Boston
William H. Burke Jr.	70 Main St. Haverhill
Margaret M. O'Riordan	7 Lakeside Rd. Boston
James M. Curley	350. Jamaica Way. Boston
Thomas J. Buckley	21 Penckney St. Boston
Edward J. Canine	13 Pine Crest Ave. Revere
John C. Pomeroy	158 M St. Boston

1956 Michael F. Sherry, 110 Sheridan Ave., Medford  
 Albert S. Presite Jr. 20 Greenwood St. Lawrence  
 John A. Callahan 17 Greenwood Place, Lawrence  
 J. Williams Belanger 2 Lillie Way, Boston  
 Daniel B. Redden 23 Angell St. Boston  
 John B. Lyons 21 Shelton Rd. Quincy  
 Garrett H. Byrne 52 Texuma St. Boston  
 Daniel B. Brunton 29 Kendall St. Springfield  
 James D. O'Brien 4 Hawthorne St. Braintree  
 John F. Kane 80 Freedom St. Fall River  
 Howard W. Fitzpatrick 100 Maple St. Malden  
 John S. Begley 229 Cabot St. Holyoke  
 James J. Collett 55 Stone Ave. Somerville  
 Jackson J. Holtz 72 Summer Rd. Brookline  
 Alternate Delegates  
 Joseph A. DeGuglielmo 24 Burlington St. Cambridge  
 J. Henry Goguen 163 7th St. Leominster  
 Chester A. Dolan Jr. 20 Jarrow St. Boston  
 Michael LaPrest 30 Shawmut Sq. Boston  
 Peter J. Ryznykiewicz 50 Park St. Ware  
 Francis E. Langie 184 Yarmouth Ave. Brockton  
 Salvatore Camileo 227 Brighton St. Belmont  
 Leonard J. Warner 194 Western Ave. Westfield  
 Silvio F. Taylor 28 Warwick St. Boston  
 Mary A. Tomasello 95 Bow St. Belmont  
 Hugh J. McLaughlin 67 Bellingham St. Chelsea  
 Doris M. Perciasepe 192 Chapin St. Southbridge  
 Anna Sullivan 35 Hitchcock St. Holyoke  
 Mary De Pasquale Murray 19 Grant St. Milford  
 Charles H. Collatos 169 Cedar Ave. Arlington  
 Anthony M. Sabelli 200 Maple St. Springfield  
 Matthew L. McGrath Jr. 551 VFW Parkway Boston  
 Joseph Gargynski Jr. 22 Lyman Rd. Chicopee  
 Edward H. Rock A. F. D. No. 1, Brookfield  
 James R. Carter 51 Barnwood St. Lawrence  
 Thomas J. Hannan 3 Monachnock St. Boston  
 Harry L. Libby 191 Columbia St. Boston  
 Jean S. LeCompte 125 Jackson St. Newton  
 John F. Cahill 405 Marlborough St. Boston

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## District Delegates

Wileen L. Buckley 198 Centre Ave. Chingston  
 Francis J. Lawlor 203 Cliffnd St. New Bedford  
 Edmund Dinis 29 Arnold Place, New Bedford  
 Theophile Jean DesRoches 214 Linham St. New Bedford

## Alternate District Delegates

Joseph Enns 272 So. Front St. New Bedford  
 Arthur J. Mullen 325 Scoville Neck, Fairhaven

## Delegates

Godfred Frank Genier 198 Cliffnd St. New Bedford  
 John B. Burns 36 Jarry St. New Bedford  
 Joseph A. Dykstra Jr. 333 Dartmouth St. New Bedford

## State Committee

## Cape &amp; Plymouth District

Thomas S. Callahan 15 Newfild St. Plymouth  
 Thomas F. Quinn 17 Mayorie St.  
 Daniel L. Sullivan 395 Washington St. Whitman

## State Committee

## Cape &amp; Plymouth District

Mary M. Crowley 139 Stearn St. Whitman  
 Nancy A. March 10 Bay Path Rd. Kingston

## Town Committee

John S. Poole Jr. Bay Road  
 George S. Duffy Sr. Camp Ground Road  
 Charles H. Reom J. A. R. Highway  
 Michael Griffin  
 Thomas Holt Eastham  
 Henry J. McLean

## Republican

## Delegates to National Convention

Christian A. Herten Caseway St. Millis  
 Loretta Saltonstall Smith St. Danvers  
 Joseph W. Martin Jr. 54 Grove St. No. Attleboro  
 Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. 275 Hale St. Quincy  
 Sinclair Hicks 15 Arlington St. Boston  
 Ebenezer C. Nelson Miscoe Road, Brandon  
 Ralph H. Bonnell 81 Arlington St. Hinchester  
 Esther W. Wheeler 105 Summer St. Malden  
 Robert F. Bradford 106 Corbridge Hill, Cambridge

1956 Thomas Pappas 323 March St. Belmont  
 Alternate Delegates  
 Basil Brewer 89 Hawthorne St. New Bedford  
 Bruce Crane 45 Main St. Dalton  
 Katherine J. Howard 186 Sumner Ave. Reading  
 Charles J. Innes 197 Bay State Rd. Boston  
 Daniel J. Lynch 18 Louise Rd. Belmont  
 Maxwell M. Rabb 73 Green St. Brookline  
 Richard F. Treadway Sturbridge  
 John A. Volpe 10 Everett Ave. Wrentham  
 William W. White 235 Pleasant St. Worcester  
 Sumner J. Whittier 103 Linden St. Everett  
 District Delegates 9<sup>th</sup> District

Charles J. Gabriel 179 Main St. Hingham  
 Raymond Tschann 132 Agundrecht St. New Bedford

### Alternate Delegates

Olma C. Wheatley 80 Ashbach St. Abington  
 Constance C. Hopkins Hatchville Rd., Falmouth

State Committee Cape & Plymouth District  
 Robert H. Russell 144 Winslet St. Barnstable  
 Richard H. Hopkins Hatchville Rd. Falmouth

### State Committee

Elizabeth H. Hickerson Peterson Rd., Duxbury

### Town Committee

Dorothy M. Benner Eastham  
 Isabelle Brackett "  
 Eugene S. Jack "  
 Maurice W. Wiley "  
 Clarence E. Doughty "  
 Lillian E. Butterfield "  
 Ralph A. Chase "  
 Harry S. Young "  
 Harvey T. Moore "  
 Richard J. Vandermay "

1956 Bernard C. Collins Eastham  
 G. Beryl Elledge "  
 Luther P. Smith "  
 Natalie J. Walker "  
 Edward J. Brown "  
 Harriet L. Crosby "  
 Lorna B. Horton "  
 Louis A. Benner "  
 Maurice A. Moore "  
 Virginia Stone "

Voting Machine stood at 86 at closing of Polls  
 that number having been cast.

Attest:

Isabelle Brackett  
 Town Clerk

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Presidential Primaries

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the voters met at the Town Hall at 12:00 noon. The warrant was duly read together with the return of the officer serving same. Elba J. Fuller, Elgie Middleton, George Duffy were appointed as ballot clerks and sworn by the Town Clerk.

The Polls opened at 12:00 noon by Luther P. Smith presiding election officer. The ballot box stood at 000, and 80, at closing that being the total number of votes cast. Polls closed at 5:30 P.M.

Republican

Delegates at Large, and Alternate Delegates at Large to the National Convention

Delegates

Christian A. Hester	received	Sixty Eight Votes
Leander Saltonstall	"	Sixty Eight "
Joseph W. Martin	"	Two Sixty Seven "
Henry Cabot Lodge	"	Two Seventy "
Linclair McKee	"	Sixty Seven "
Elmer C. Nelson	"	Sixty Two "
Ralph H. Bannell	"	Sixty Three "
Cather W. Wheeler	"	Sixty Two "
Robert F. Bradford	"	Sixty Four "
Thomas Pappas	"	Sixty One "

Alternate Delegates

Basil Brewer	received	Sixty One "
Bruce Crane	"	Sixty Three "
Katherine J. Howard	"	Sixty "
Charles J. Jones	"	Sixty One "
Daniel J. Lynch	"	Sixty "
Maxwell M. Rabb	"	Fifty Eight "
Richard F. Lreadway	"	Sixty "
John A. Dolpe	"	Sixty One "
William W. White	"	Sixty Seven "
Sumner J. Whittier	"	Sixty Nine "

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Delegates 9<sup>th</sup> District

Charles J. Gabriel	Received	Sixty One Votes
Raymond Jackson	"	Sixty One "

Alternate Delegates

Alma C. Wheatley	"	Fifty-five "
Constance C. Hopkins	"	Sixty "

State CommitteeCape & Plymouth District

Robert Connell	"	Forty Eight "
Richard H. Hopkins	"	Thirty Two "

State CommitteeCape & Plymouth District

Elizabeth C. Hutchinson	"	Fifty Six "
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Town Committee

Dorothy M. Benner	Received	Sixty Seven "
L. Isabelle Brackett	"	Seventy Two "
Eugene S. Jack	"	Seventy One "
Maurice W. Hiley	"	Seventy "
Clarence E. Doughty	"	Sixty Four "
Lillian P. Butterfield	"	Sixty Six "
Ralph Q. Chase	"	Sixty Five "
Harry S. Young	"	Sixty Three "
Harvey P. Moore	"	Sixty Two "
Richard J. Vandermay	"	Sixty Three "
Bernard C. Collins	"	Sixty Eight "
J. Beryl Eldredge	"	Sixty Four "
Luther P. Smith	"	Sixty Eight "
Natalie Y. Walker	"	Sixty Two "
Edward J. Brown	"	Sixty Four "
Harriet L. Crosby	"	Sixty Two "
Lorna B. Horton	"	Sixty Three "
Louis Q. Benner	"	Sixty Four "
Maurice A. Moore	"	Sixty "
Virginia Stone	"	Sixty Three "

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Democrat  
Delegates to National Convention

John F. Kennedy	Received	Fine votes
Paul R. Dege		" "
John R. McCormack		" "
John B. Hynes		" "
Kellicott H. Burke Jr.		" "
Margaret M. O'Riordan		" "
James M. Curley		" "
Thomas J. Buckley		" "
Edward J. Cronin		" "
John P. Powers		" "
Michael F. Sherry		" "
Albert S. Prende Jr.		" "
John A. Callahan		" "
J. William Belange		" "
Daniel Rucklen		" "
Ida A. Lyons		" "
Garret H. Byrnes		" "
Daniel B. Brauntorn		" "
James D. O'Brien		" "
John F. Kane		" "
Howard W. Fitzpatrick		" "
John S. Begley		" "
James J. Corbett		" "
Jackson J. Holly		" "

Alternate Delegates

Joseph A. DeGuglielmo	Received	Fine
J. Henry Goguen		" "
Chester A. Dolan Jr.		" "
Michael L. Presti		" "
Peter J. Pagnabianney		" "
Francis E. Larigne		" "
Labatone Camille		" "
Leonard J. Kramer		" "
Silas F. Taylor		" "
Mary A. Tamarello		" "
Hugh J. McLaughlin		" "
Doris M. Racicot		" "
Anna Sullivan		" "

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Mary De Pasquale Murray	Received	Fine
Charles N. Collatos		" "
Anthony M. Sabelli		" "
Matthew L. McGrath Jr.		" "
Joseph Gargyonski Jr.		" "
Edward Krosch		" "
James R. Costo		" "
Thomas J. Hannan		" "
Harry J. Libas		" "
Jean L. LeCompte		" "
John F. Cahill		" "

State Committee Cape & Plymouth District

Thomas S. Callahan	Four	"
Thomas J. Quinn	One	"
Daniel L. Sullivan	No	"

State Committee Cape & Plymouth District

Mary M. Crowley	One	"
Nancy A. Ward	Two	"

Town Committee

John S. Poole	Fine	"
George S. Duffy Jr.	"	"
Charles N. Pease	"	"
Michael Griffin	"	"
Thomas Holt	"	"
Henry J. McCon	"	"

Voting Machine stood at 80 at the closing of the Polls, that number having voted, out of a possible 683 voters as registered. Fine (55) Democrats and seventy five (75) Republicans.

Attys: L. Isabelle Rachett  
Town Clerk

1956

## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Eastham

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the Inhabitants of said Town, who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Eastham Town Hall

Tuesday, the Eighteenth (18<sup>th</sup>) day of September, 1956  
at 8 o'clock for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Offices for the nomination of Candidates for the Political parties for the following offices:

Governor	for this Commonwealth
Lieutenant Governor	"
Secretary of the Commonwealth	"
Treasurer & Receiver General	"
Auditor of the Commonwealth	"
Attorney General	"
Representative in Congress	"
Councillor	"
Senator	"
Representative in General Court	"
County Commissioners (2)	"
Sheriff	"
Clerk of Courts	"

The Polls will be open from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Hereof fail not and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of September 1956.

a true copy:

Maurice W. Wiley, Chron.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Attest:

Constable

Selectmen of Eastham

September 1956

1956

State Primary September 18, 1956

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the Inhabitants of the Town of Eastham met in the Eastham Town Hall. The warrant calling the Primary was read by the Town clerk together with the return of the officer who served the same. Officers appointed and sworn to serve at this meeting were Elgie C. Milliken, Ellen Fuller, and George Duffy.

The Polls opened at 12<sup>00</sup> noon and closed at 6<sup>00</sup> P.M.  
The ballot box stood at 000 at the opening.

Ballots were cast as follows:

Republican Party		
Governor		
Sumner J. Whittier	Received	103
Charles Gibbons	Lieutenant Governor	134
Blanks		11
Treasurer		
Robert H. Beaudreau		140
Blanks		5
Auditor		
Joseph A. Nobile		136
Blanks		9
Attorney General		
George Fungold		143
Blanks		2
Congressman 9 <sup>th</sup> District		
Donald Richshaw		93
Hastings Keith		47
Blanks		5
Councillor		
William C. Hall		35
Malcolm Jones		6
Franklin W. L. Mills		73
J. Roger Lison		15
Blanks		16
Senator		
Edward C. Stone	Cape & Plymouth Districts	139
Blanks		6

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Representative in General Court  
2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable District

Harry O. Ellis	Received	52 Votes
John P. Dyer Jr.	"	31 "
David B. Lane Jr.	"	53 "
Blanks		9 "

County Commissioners

H. Heyworth Backus	"	121 "
William L. Lockhart	"	108 "
Blanks		61 "

Sheriff

Donald P. Tullock		138 "
Blanks		7 "

Clerk of the Courts

George L. Cross	Received	44 "
Adriana Holmes Hill	"	97 "
Blanks		4 "

Democrat

Governor		
Foster Furcolo	Received	11 Votes
Thomas H. Buckley	"	5 "
Blanks		
Lieutenant Governor		
Robert F. Murphy	"	10 "
James A. Burke	"	1 "
George A. Wells	"	4 "
Blanks		1 "

Secretary

Edward J. Grenier	"	14 "
Robert Emmet Denamore	"	2 "
Blanks		

Treasurer

Clement A. Riley		3
John F. Kennedy		6
John F. Buckley		4
Henry J. Hurley		
John M. Kennedy		2

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Blanks

1

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	Received	15 Votes
Blanks		1 "

Attorney General

Joseph D. Rauch	"	7 "
Edward J. McCormack	"	9 "
Blanks		

Congressman

William M. Culliffe	"	3 "
John C. Snow	"	13 "
Blanks		"

Councillor

Antoni C. Barbosa		3
Joseph P. Desmarat		4
Francis W. Harrington		1
Leo P. Soave		1
David D. Talbot		4
Blanks		

Senator Cape & Plymouth District

George Correa		7
Anthony B. Francis		7
Blanks		2

Representative in General Court  
2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable District

Frank W. Barnett	Received	10
Walter W. Gilmore	"	4
Blanks		2

County Commissioners

Leiter Jones		12
Blanks		6
Sheriff		
Blanks		45

Clerk of Courts

Leiter Jones		1
Blanks		15

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Polls closed at 6 P.M. Total number of votes cast 1458-16D The ballot box stood at 161st closing  
Possible voters 684

L. Isabelle Brachett, Town Clerk

Special Town Meeting Warrant September 26, 1956  
Barnstable s.s.

To Harvey T. Moore Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall at 8 P.M. on Wednesday, September (26)<sup>th</sup> Twenty-sixth next, then and there to act on the following article in this warrant:

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) to further study and make plans for the construction, addition and alteration of the existing fire station.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in No. Eastham and at the Post-office in Eastham seven days at least, before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this day of September in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Six (1956)

Maurice W. Wiley  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

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Minutes of Special Town Meeting September 26, 1956

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:25 there being a lack in quorum till that time Edward Brown and Lewis Beane were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1

Voted to accept the following amendment to Article 1.

"And to investigate the desirability of establishing a branch fire station in North Eastham." Unanimous <sup>vote</sup> vote.

Voted to transfer from Available Funds in the Treasury the sum of 500<sup>00</sup> to further study plans for the construction, addition and alterations of the existing fire station, and the Moderator to appoint a five man Committee, consisting of at least 3 members, and to investigate the desirability of establishing a branch fire station in North Eastham.

16 yes 14 no.

Motion to adjourn at 8-55 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk.

The Moderator appointed the following members on the Fire Station Addition Committee:

John Hilferty  
Stanley E. Norton  
Arthur C. Nickerson  
John Tracy

Warrant For Presidential Election  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, ss.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of  
Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to  
warn and notify the inhabitants of said  
Town qualified to vote in elections, to  
meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham on  
Tuesday the sixth (6<sup>th</sup>) day of November next at  
10 o'clock in the forenoon for the following  
purposes:

To bring in their votes for

Presidential & Vice Presidential Electors

Governor For this Commonwealth

Adj. Governor

Secretary

Treasurer

Auditor

Attorney General

Representative in Congress for the Ninth District

Councillor " the First District

Senator " the Cape & Plymouth

Representative in General Court for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable  
District

Clerk of Courts for Barnstable County

(2) County Commissioner for  
Sheriff

Question Number

A. Shall licenses be granted in this city or  
town for the sale therein of all alcoholic  
beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wine  
and all other alcoholic beverages)?

B. Shall licenses be granted in this city or  
town for the sale therein of wine and malt  
beverages (wine, beer, alcohol and all other malt  
beverages)?

C. Shall licenses be granted in this town for  
the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in

packages, so called, not to be drunk on the  
premises?

All of the above candidates and officers and questions  
are to be voted on one ballot. The polls will open  
at 10<sup>00</sup> A.M. and may close at 6:00 P.M.

And you are directed to serve this warrant, by  
presenting attested copies thereof in the Postoffice in  
No. Eastham, and in the Post-office in Eastham, seven  
days at least before time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this  
warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at  
the time and place of election as aforesaid.

Given under our hand and seal, this twenty  
sixth day of October, in the year one thousand  
nine hundred and Fifty six (1956)

Polls open at 10 A.M. and may close at 6 P.M.

Maurice W. Riley chm.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Selectmen of Eastham



1956

Presidential Election 1956 November 6<sup>th</sup>

Pursuant to the foregoing Warrant the qualified voters of Eastham met in the Eastham Town Hall for purposes stated. Appointed as Election Officers were George Duffy Jr., Elgie L. Mulliken, Elly Fuller, Ruth Peneault, and Robert Hathaway, who were sworn in to their duties.

Eisenhower & Nixon had	591 Votes
Harris & Cagney	"
Holtwick & Cooper	"
Stevenson & Kefauver	57 "
Blanks	9 "
Governor	
Foster Furcolo	95 "
Sumner J. Whittier	551 "
Henning A. Blomen	"
Mark B. Shaw	"
Blanks	11 "
U. S. Governor	
Charles Gibbons	558 "
Robert F. Murphy	84 "
Harold E. Bassett	"
Francis R. Votaw	"
Blanks	15 "
Secretary	
Edward J. Cronin	124 "
Richard J. Fairbank	517 "
Carl F. Dodge	2 "
Laurence Gelfolder	"
Blanks	14 "
Treasurer	115 "
John F. Kennedy	530 "
Robert H. Beaudreau	"
Isaac Goddard	2 "
Willy H. Hogarth	"
Blanks	10 "
Auditor	
Thomas J. Buckley	129 "
Joseph A. Nobile	513 "
John B. Lauder	"
Anthony Martin	"
Blanks	15 "

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## Attorney General

George Fungeloh Had	560 Votes
Edward J. McCormack Jr.	79 "
Fred M. Ingersoll	"
Howard B. Rand	1 "
Blanks	17 "
Congressman	
Danald R. Nickerson	578 "
William M. Cuffie	66 "
Blanks	13 "

## Councillor

Joseph Dupont	91 "
Franklin Miles	543 "
Blanks	23 "

## Senator

Edward C. Stone	583 "
George Corra	58 "
Blanks	16 "

## Representative in General Court

Harry B. Allen	553 "
Frank H. Bennett	76 "
Blanks	26 "

## County Commissioners

Blanks	63 "
H. Heyworth Backus	594 "
William J. Lockhart	470 "
Blanks	187 "

## Sheriff

Danald P. Tullock	601 "
Blanks	56 "

## Clerk of Courts

Barbara Holmes Neill	609 "
Blanks	48 "

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## Question No. 1

A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic beverages)?

Yes	had	215	votes
No	"	361	"
Blanks	"	81	"

B. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines, beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

Yes	had	226	votes
No	"	345	"
Blanks	"	92	"

C. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages so called not to be drunk on the premises?

Yes	had	295	votes
No	"	308	"
Blanks	"	54	"

The ballot box stood at 000 at opening at 10 A.M.

Polls closed at 6 15 P.M. The ballot box stood at 657, there having been that number of votes cast out of a possible 716, that number being registered to vote.

Attest:

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harney T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the twenty sixth (26) day of November next, at 8 o'clock in the evening, there and there to act on the following articles in this warrant.

Article 1. Shall the town vote to accept the provisions of Section Sixteen to Sixteen I inclusive of Chapter Seventy-one of the General Laws, providing for the establishment of a regional school district, together with the Towns of Wellfleet and Orleans and the construction, maintenance and operation of a regional school by the said District in accordance with the provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the Selectmen?

Article 2. To any of the town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00) for the preliminary expenses of the Regional District Committee to be used in conjunction with money to be raised by the two towns of Orleans and Wellfleet provided a Regional District is established by such towns.

Article 3. To do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

You are directed to serve this Warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in North Eastham and the Post Office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting. Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting.

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Given under our hands and seals this 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of November, in the year of our Lord, One  
Thousand Nine Hundred <sup>and</sup> Fifty Six.

Maurice W. Wiley Chm.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

Special Town Meeting November 26, 1956

Pursuant to the warrant, the Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator Prince H. Hurd Jr. There being a quorum present, the call of the meeting was read by the Town Clerk, the reading of the Articles being omitted as there were no objections raised. Edward F. Hathaway, Elwyn L. Gill, Lawrence R. Baker, Howard E. Brewer were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1 Voted: that the Town accept the provisions of Sections sixteen to sixteen inclusive of Chapter seventy-one of the General Laws providing for the establishment of a Regional School District together with the Towns of Orleans and Wellfleet and the construction maintenance and operation of a regional school by the said district in accordance with the provisions of a proposed agreement filed with the Selectmen.

There were paper ballots with the question printed and the vote was 102 Yes 31 No.

Article 2 Voted: that the Town vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$2500.00 for the preliminary expenses of the Regional District Committee to be used in conjunction with money to be raised by the Towns of Orleans and Wellfleet

Unanimous voice vote

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Meeting adjourned at 9:40 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett

Town Clerk

On December 3, 1956 the Selectmen and School Committee met, and announced the appointment of Elizabeth Collins by the Selectmen and of Theodore Hicks by the School Committee to serve on the interim Committee of the Regional School District, said appointments to expire at the Annual Town Meeting

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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Annual Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
February 18, 1957

Barnstable ss,

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of  
Eastham, in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify  
and warn the inhabitants of said town,  
qualified to vote in elections and Town  
affairs to meet in the Town Hall on Monday  
the Eighteenth (18<sup>th</sup>) day of February next at 7:00  
o'clock in the evening, then and there to  
act on the following articles in this warrant  
and to meet in the Town Hall at 10:00  
o'clock in the morning on Tuesday the  
nineteenth (19<sup>th</sup>) day of February next, then  
and there to elect all necessary officers.

Balls to open at 12:00 A.M. and may close at 6:00  
P.M.

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to have a  
blackboard at the front of the hall, showing  
the effect on the tax rate of the various  
Articles in the Warrant, or take any action  
relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town  
Director for the Cape Cod Extension service.  
No recommendation required

Article 3 To see in what manner the Town will  
vote to dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the refunded Dog  
Tax be placed at the disposal of the Public  
Library.

Recommend

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Article 4 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer,  
with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from  
time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial  
year beginning January 1, 1957, and issue a note or  
notes therefor, payable in one year and to renew any  
note or notes as may be given for a period of less  
than one year in accordance with Section 17  
Chapter 44, General Laws.

Recommended

Article 5 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer  
with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from  
time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the  
financial year beginning January 1, 1957, and to issue  
a note or notes therefor payable in 1 year and to  
renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of  
less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter  
44, General Laws.

Recommended

Article 6 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate  
a sum of money not to exceed 1000.00 for the establish-  
ment and maintenance of a funded in the Cape Cod  
Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment  
of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents  
of the Town and unable to pay for such care and  
treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 24  
General Laws or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended 500.00

Article 7 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the  
Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax  
Title procedure by the Town, and raise and  
appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose  
or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 8 To see if the Town will vote to pay a  
bounty of fifty cents (50¢) each for woodchucks  
killed within its boundaries during the  
ensuing year and raise and appropriate the  
sum of 30.00 for this purpose, or take any

## action relative thereto

Article 9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81, Highways, or take any action relative thereto

Recommended 4000.00

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a police Cruiser, and the present cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Recommended

Article 11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire, and Police Dispatcher service for the year 1957.

Recommended

Article 12. To act on the Annual Report including re-commendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town officers and see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from Available Funds in the treasury sums of money for the same, or take any action relative thereto

Department  
Recommendations  
of Dept. Heads and Finance  
Committee 1957

Department	
1. Accountant	1416.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	500.00
5. Assessor's Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditorium Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1300.00
8. Certification of votes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	175.00

10. Civilian Defense	780.00
11. Custodian	2912.66
12. Dog Officer	52.00
13. Dutch Elm	100.00
14. Election Exp Registration	550.00
15. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
16. Fire Dept.	4085.00
17. Health	900.00
18. Highways-General	1500.00
19. Insect Pest Control & Poisoning	1750.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	600.00
22. Interest	3000.00
23. Legal Expense	1000.00
24. Librarian	1500.00
25. Memorial Day	150.00
26. Miscellaneous	1000.00
27. Office Clerk	1392.00
28. Old Cemetery	350.00
29. Old Windmill Case & Imp. Improvement	500.00
30. Planning Board	250.00
31. Police Department	8500.00
32. Public Amusement & Entertainment	500.00
33. Public Welfare Services	
A. Aid to Dependent Children	8000.00
B. Disability Assistance	2500.00
C. General Relief	2000.00
D. Old Age Assistance	20,000.00
34. Public Welfare Administration	1652.66
35. Recreation Commission	1500.00
36. Reserve (Transfer from Overlay Reserve)	5000.00
37. Retirement	1025.21
38. School	88595.00
39. School Lunch	800.00
40. School Notes	7000.00
41. Scales of Weights & Measures	120.00
42. Secretaries of Finance Committee	50.00
43. Selectmen & Resear. Expense	700.00
44. Shellfish Protection and Propagation	1500.00
45. Snow	1000.00
46. Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00

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47	Surety on Bonds	350.00
48	Tap Letter	1500.00
49	Town Dump	1800.00
50	Town Hall	4700.00
51	Town Landings	4500.00
52	Town Reports	1000.00
53	Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1050.00
54	Tree Warden	300.00
55	Veteran's Benefits	3900.00
56	Vocational Education	500.00
57	Wise Inspections	201 250.00
	Less Transfer from Overbay Surplus	-5 369.51
	Unanimously Approved.	196 369.51

Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:

Department Head  
Recommendation

Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (600.00 each)	1800.00
Assessors (600.00 each)	1800.00
Board of Relief (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer Collector Clerk	3500.00
	8125.00

Recommended

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1956  
Recommended

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended 450.00

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Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 1000.00 for Greenhead Fly Control, as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the State Treasury.  
Recommended

Article 17 Recommended  
To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from Available Funds in the Treasury the sum of 400.00 for the purpose of purchasing and installing a water cooler in the lobby of the old Town Hall.  
Recommended

Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2500.00, to be spent as salary and use of car for a Town nurse, said nurse to be working both as School and Town nurse, or take any action relative thereto.  
(By Request)

Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 12,000.00 for an addition to the fire station and changing the heating system or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended yes, no 1.

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to accept the layout of the re-location and widening of a Town Way, (Hanset Road so-called), from the junction of Doane Road and Hanset Road, near the home of Walter MacPherson, to Route 6 in North Eastham with the boundaries and measurements as reported and recommended by the Selectmen under date of January 29, 1957 and will authorize and instruct the Selectmen to take by purchase gift, or eminent domain any lands or interest in

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in any lands within the lines of said layout necessary for this purpose, and for this purpose raise and appropriate a sum of money not exceeding 500.00

Article 21 & 22  
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Recommended 500.00

Article 23. To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before the meeting.

No recommendation required.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in Eastham, and the Post Office in North Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with proceedings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 31st day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred & Fifty Seven.

Maurice M. Wiley Chm.

Bernard C. Collins

Luther P. Smith

Article 21 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate transfer from available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for the permanent construction of Doane Rd. (so-called) from Little Creek Rd. (so-called) easterly to the Parking Lot, it being the terminus of said road, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 22 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds the sum of 500.00 to be spent for commemorating the scene of the First Encounter in connection with the arrival of the shallop from the ship Mayflower or take any action relative thereto -

Recommended.

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Annual Town Meeting February 18, 1957

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order, pursuant to the warrant at 7:00 P.M. by the Moderator, Prince H. Hurd Jr. Rev. Harold Arnold offered a prayer, and the call of the meeting as well as the service of the warrant was read by the Town Clerk. The reading of the Articles was omitted, there being no objections. Harold Arnold, Stanley Gill, were appointed assessors and sworn by the Town Clerk, also Esther F. Turner, and Ralph L. O'maly.

Article 1 Voted: to have a blackboard at the front of the hall showing the effect of the tax rate of the various articles in the warrant.

Article 2 Voted to elect Joseph L. Putnam Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service.

Unanimous Vote

Article 3 Voted to place the unfunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.

Unanimous Vote

Article 4 Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1957, and issue a note therefor payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous vote

Article 5 Voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1957, and to issue a note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance

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with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.  
Unanimous Vote

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed Cape Cod Hospital Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74 General Laws.

Unanimous vote

Article 7. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the purpose.

Unanimous Vote

Article 8. Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents (.50) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Vote

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 4000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81 Highways work, and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's share of the work, the reimbursement from the State to be restored upon receipt to unappropriated available funds in the Treasury.

Unanimous Vote

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Article 10.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit toward the new one.

Unanimous Vote

Article 11.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatcher Service for the year 1957.

Unanimous Vote

Article 12.

Voted to accept the Annual Report including the recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town officers and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 196,369.51 for the same, and to transfer 5000.00 from the Overlay Surplus to the Reserve account.

Unanimous Vote

1. Accountant	1,416.00
2. Accountants Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	500.00
5. Assessors Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditorium Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1300.00
8. Certification of Note	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	175.00
10. Civilian Defense	1780.00
11. Custodian	2912.00
12. Dog Office Account	52.00
13. Dutch Elm Disease	100.00
14. Election & Registration	550.00
15. Finance Committee Expense	23.00
16. Fire Department	4085.00
17. Health	900.00
18. Highways - General	1500.00
19. Insect Pest Control & Poison Dog	1750.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	600.00
22. Interest	3000.00

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23. Legal Expense	1000.00
24. Delivery	1500.00
25. Memorial Day	150.00
26. Miscellaneous	1000.00
27. Office Clerk	1392.00
28. Old Cemetery	350.00
29. Old windmill Care & Improvement	500.00
30. Planning Board	250.00
31. Police Department	8500.00
32. Public Amusement & Advertising	500.00
33. Public Welfare Services	2000.00
34. Public Welfare Administration	1652.00
35. Recreation Commission	1500.00
36. Reserve (Transfer from Overlay Surplus)	5000.00
37. Retirement	1025.51
38. School	88595.00
39. School Lunch	800.00
40. School Notes	7000.00
41. Sealer Weights & Measures	120.00
42. Secretary Finance Committee	50.00
43. Selectmen & Assessors Expense	900.00
44. Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
45. Snow	1000.00
46. Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
47. Surety on Bonds	350.00
48. Tap Tittles	1500.00
49. Town Dump	1800.00
50. Town Hall	4700.00
51. Town Landings	4500.00
52. Town Reports	1000.00
53. Treasurer, Clerk, Collector Expense	1050.00
54. Tree Warden	300.00
55. Veterans Benefits	3900.00
56. Vocational Education	500.00
57. Weir Inspection	250.00
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Less transfer from Overlay Surplus	5000.00
	196369.51

Unanimous Vote

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Article 13. To see if the Town will voted to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town, as provided by Section 108 of Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$125. for same.

Unanimous Vote

Article 14. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 11.63 to pay the unpaid bills of 1956.

Unanimous Vote

Article 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 450.00 for the purpose of holding band Concerts in the evening year.

Unanimous Vote

Article 16. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1000.00 for Greenhead Fly Control, as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the State Treasury.

Article 17. Voted to raise and appropriate <sup>400.00</sup> from Available Funds for the purpose of purchasing & installing a water cooler in the lobby of the Old Town Hall.

Unanimous Vote

Article 18. Voted to raise & appropriate the sum of 1,350.00 and in addition the sum of 350.00 to be appropriated from the Nurse's Fund (So-called) under Clause 20 of the Timothy Smith will, and these amounts to be spent in conjunction with the sum of 800.00 already voted in the school budget, making a total of 2500.00 to be applied as salary and use of car for a Town nurse, said nurse to be working both as school nurse and Town nurse, under direction of the School Committee and the

1957 Board of Health

Unanimous Vote

Article 19. Voted: not to raise and appropriate the sum of 6000.00, and appropriate 6000.00 from Available Funds in the Treasury for an addition to the fire station and changing the heating system, also have the Moderator appoint a fireman building Committee  
89 ho - 37 yes.

Article 20. Voted: to accept the lay-out of the relocation and widening of a Townway, (haunted Road, So-Called,) from the junction of Doane Road and Haunted Road near the home of Walter MacPherson to Route 6 in North Eastham with the boundaries and measurements as reported and recommended by the Selectmen under date of January 29, 1957 and authorize and instruct the selectmen to take by purchase, gift or eminent domain any lands or interests in fee in any lands within the lines of said lay-out, necessary for this purpose and for this purpose, raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00.

77 yes 3 no

Article 21. Voted: that the sum of 9,137.46 be appropriated for the permanent construction of Doane Road from Little Creek Road so-called eastward to the Parking Lot, it being the terminus of the road, and to meet said appropriation the sum of 9,137.46 be transferred from the proceeds received from the State under the provisions of Chapter 718 of the Acts of 1956.  
Unanimous Vote

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Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate from Available Funds the sum of 500.00 to be spent for Commemorating the Scene of the First Encounter in Connection with the arrival of the shallop from the ship Mayflower.

Unanimous Vote

Article 23. Voted that Protective By-Law Review Committee be appointed for the purpose of making a complete study of the present building and zoning by-laws and to report on or before the next annual town meeting this Committee to be made up of the Planning Board (5) the appeal Board (5) and 5 persons to be appointed by the Moderator.

Meeting adjourned at 11:15 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

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Annual Election, February 19, 1957

The Annual Election of Town Officers was held this day in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting was called to order by the presiding election officer, Maurice W. Wiley, at 11:55 A.M.

The following persons having been appointed to serve as Election Officers, were duly sworn to their duties by the Town Clerk, L. Isabelle Beachett

Ester F. Turner

Elgie C. Milliken

Harold L. Quesel

Harney T. Constable

Bernard Collins

M. W. Wiley

The ballot box was examined and found to register zero, and the Polls declared open at 12:00 Noon.

At 6:00 P.M. the polls were declared closed. There were 3 absentee ballots cast, making a total of 110 cast for the day, from a possible 708, that many being registered. A check of the voting list showed that 110 had voted.

Following is a result of the voting:

Moderator 1 Year

Prince H. Hurd Jr. 110 votes

Selectman, Assessor,

Member Board of Health and

Public Welfare 3 Yrs

Luther P. Smith

108 - 2

Blanks

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Town Clerk, Treasurer

L. Isabelle Beachett

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and Tax Collector 3 Yrs

Blanks

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Constable

1 Yr

Harney T. Moore

109

Blanks

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Highway Supervisor Nathan A. Dickerson

Blanks

107 votes

3 "

School Committee 3 Yrs Theodore L. Hicks

100 votes

Theodore L. Hicks

Blanks

10 blanks

Regional School District Committee

2 Yrs

Richard J. Vanderway

101 votes

9 "

Library Trustee 3 Yrs

Elgie C. Milliken

100 votes

Blanks

10 "

Planning Board 5 Yrs

A. Henry Dickerson

106 votes

Blanks

4 "

Recreation Commission 5 Yrs

Leonard E. Turner

102 votes

8 "

As the Town Clerk read the results of the Election there being the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding officer.

At 6:30 the meeting adjourned, the total number of ballots being cast 110, out of a possible 708 on the voting list.

L. Isabelle Beachett

Town Clerk

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January 3, 1957.  
No. Eastham, Mass.

Mr. Henry A. Dickinson, Secretary;  
Eastham Planning Board  
Eastham, Mass.

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Dear Sir:

Due to increased business activity it is with deep regret that I hereby tender my resignation as a member of the Eastham Planning Board.

I wish to thank the members of the Board past and present for their cooperation and willingness to devote unselfishly their time and efforts to solve the problems that appeared before the Board.

I wish you and the members of the Board continued success in the future.

Very truly yours,  
John W. Andersen

March 4, 1957

Mrs. L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk, Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

At a meeting held on March 4, 1957, at the Eastham Town Hall, the Finance Committee appointed Mr. William Hobbs as acting temporary chairman for the new year of 1957. He is to serve in this capacity until such time as the Moderator has completed his appointments of the required three new members, and another meeting has been held with all members present in order to elect a permanent chairman for the present year.

Respectfully yours,  
David L. Mad  
Chairman 1956

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1957 Appointments

Clarence E. Doughty	Civilian Defense Director	Indefinite Expiration
Stanley E. Walker	Dealer Heights & Museum	March 1, 1958
Harold Moore	Janitor Town Hall & Library	March 1, 1958
Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Birds	March 1, 1958
Winifred J. Howler	Chief of Police & Women Viewers	March 1, 1958
Robert L. Schroeder	Town Warden	March 1, 1958
John Grogan	Town Dump Dept.	March 1, 1958
Dorrie M. Mayo	Social Worker	March 1, 1958
Elaine C. Milliken	Board of Registrars	March 1, 1960
Howard L. Anderson	Shellfish Constable	March 1, 1958
Lewis F. Beane	Police Officer	March 1, 1958
John Hilferty	Fire Chief	March 1, 1958
Mesley B. Moore	Police Officer	March 1, 1958
Dr. Fred Moore	Board of Health Agent	March 1, 1958
Ernest C. Eldredge	Sanitary Inspector	March 1, 1958
George F. Crocker	"	March 1, 1958
Ralph A. Chase	Veteran's Agent & Burial Agent	April 1, 1958
C. May Dunphy	Town Nurse	March 1, 1958
Prescott B. Cummings	Planning Board	March 1, 1959
Clyde L. Becker	Associate Member Appeal Board	Feb. 29, 1959
John D. Leary	Member of Appeal Board	Feb. 29, 1960
James B. Howler	Civilian Police Officer Civ. Defense	Duration Emergency
Philip S. Horton Jr.	Special Police Officer	Feb. 28, 1959
Howard L. Anderson	"	Feb. 29, 1959
Mesley B. Moore	Police Officer	Feb. 29, 1958
Ralph L. Rogers	Building Inspector	March 1, 1958
James Leach	Inspector of Animals	March 1, 1958
George D. Dickie	Associate Member Appeal Board	March 1, 1958
Richard Cusley	Neighbor	March 1, 1958
Herman E. Mahoney	Member Finance Board	" 1, 1960
Warrenton A. Williams	"	" 1, 1960
George A. Bridgwood	"	" 1, 1960
Clyde Becker	Associate Member Board of Appeals	" 1, 1959
June 2:6	James Bell	Life Guard
July 10	George Bridgwood	Police Officer
August 26	George Bridgwood	Deputy Shellfish Warden
Sept. 6	Richard C. Collins	"
Oct. 16	Robert Deschamps	Special Police Officer
18	Warrenton A. Williams	Protective By-Land Review Comm.
23	Lo Roy Deschamps	"
Nov. 4	Charles Thompson	Misc Inspector

Resigned  
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May 6-1957

June 2:6

July 10

August 26

Sept. 6

Oct. 16

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Nov. 4

Dec. 31, 1957

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of  
Eastham, in the County of Barnstable

In the name of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify  
and warn the inhabitants of said Town  
qualified to vote in elections and Town  
affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday  
the Twenty Third (23) day of September next  
at 8: o'clock in the evening, then and there  
to act on the following Articles in this  
warrant.

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to express  
approval of the amount of debt, namely 100,000.00  
authorized by the regional district school  
Committee of the Eastham-Orleans Wellfleet Regional  
School District on August 26, 1957.

You are directed to serve this warrant by  
posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in  
North Eastham and the Post-office in Eastham  
seven days at least before date of holding said  
meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 11<sup>th</sup> day  
of September in the year of our Lord, One Thousand  
Nine Hundred and Fifty-seven.

Maurice W. Riley Chm.  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

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Eastham, Mass.  
September 18, 1957

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

The Finance Committee met in the  
Town Hall on this date and elected Warranton  
A. Williams as chairman for the year 1957.

Respectfully Yours

William Hokenan  
Acting Temporary Chairman

Eastham, Mass.  
September 22, 1957

Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

This is to inform you that I have auth-  
orized Mr. David Mead to act as Chairman of the  
Board of Appeals during my confinement in the  
hospital, and also to notify you that I have  
authorized Mrs. Catherine DeWille secretary of the  
Board of Appeals to take care of all letters and  
notices in regards to any hearings while I am  
away and also to mail out any decisions that  
are reached on hearings.

Yours truly,  
(Mr.) Richard Whitford  
Chm. Board of Appeals

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
September 23, 1957

The Special Town Meeting was called to order, pursuant to the Warrant at 8 P.M. by the Moderator Prince H. Hurd Jr. The Call of the meeting and the series of the warrant was read by the Town Clerk. Olego L. Gill Esq. Altan C. Crosby were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to amend Article 1 with the following "and that the vote on Article 1 be taken by written ballot."

Unanimous voice vote

Voted: that the Town approve the amount of debt namely 100,000.00, authorized by the regional district school Committee of the Eastham-Oleons-Bellflet Regional School District on August 26, 1957.

107 yes 42 no

meeting adjourned at 10:10 P.M.

Attest

L. Isabelle Brachette  
Town Clerk

Oct. 17 Committee of 5 appointed by Moderator to meet with the Planning Board & the Board of Appeals as submitted by Prince H. Hurd Jr. Moderator.  
Warrenton S. Williams      Le Roy F. Richardson  
Maurice Luano      Ralph L. Rogers  
Catherine DeVelle

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Board of Selectmen:  
Will you please accept my resignation as a member of the Eastham Recreation Commission effective February 1958.

Respectfully yours  
Howard C. Brewer

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harney T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to warn & notify the Inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the Seventeenth (17<sup>th</sup>) day of December at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles in this Warrant:

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 25,000.00 for the following purpose:

To purchase the land of John F. Crosby, John B. Crosby, Altan C. Crosby, and Christine Quinn, heirs of Jennie E. Crosby, see Probate # 26,123, being Lot 2 of Block 9 as shown on the Cassano Map and also as of deed duly recorded in the Barnstable Registry of Deeds, Book 254, Page 18. The buildings on said land will be retained by the present owners but must be removed from said premises within one year of date of recording deed to the Town. said land to be used for additional Old Mill grounds and public park, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 10,000.00 for the following purpose:  
To purchase the land and buildings thereon to Leonard C. Turner and Barbara H. Turner, being Lot 3 of Block 9 as shown on the Cassano Map, and also as of deed duly recorded at the Barnstable Registry of Deeds, Book 623 Page 234; said land to be used for additional Old Mill grounds and public Park, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 3 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 180.01 to pay an unpaid bill of 1956.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attached copies thereof at the Post-office in North Eastham and at the Post-office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Pen of fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this fifth day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred & Fifty-seven.

Maurice W. Wiley  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

Special Town Meeting Minutes  
December 17, 1957

The Special Town Meeting was called to order at 7:30 P.M. by the Moderator Prince H. Hutch Jr. There being a quorum present the call of the meeting was read, and the service of the warrant, by the town clerk. No objections being raised, the reading of the Articles was deferred with Theodore L. Nicko and John Halferty were appointed tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1 Voted that town will appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 25,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing the land of John F. Pashy, John B. Pashy, Otton C. Pashy and Christine Quinn heirs of Jennie C. Pashy, see Probate # 26123, being Lot 2, of Block 9 as shown on the Cassara Map and also duly recorded in the Barnstable Registry of Deeds, Book 254, Page 18, the buildings on said land will be returned by the present owners but must be removed from said premises within one year of date of recording deed to the town, said land to be used

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for additional Old Mill grounds and public park and to confirm any agreements already made by the Board of Selectmen and also that the selectmen will be authorized to make any agreements that they deem to be in the best interest of the town.

yes 80 No 5  
Article 2 Voted that the town appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 10,000.00 for the purpose of purchasing the land and buildings thereon of Leonard C. Lanson and Barbara B. Lanson, being Lot 3 of Block 9, as shown on the Cassara Map and also duly recorded at the Barnstable Registry of Deeds, Book 623 Page 234 said land to be used for additional Old Mill grounds and public park and disposal of the building to be left in the hands of the Board of Selectmen and to confirm any agreements already made by the Board of Selectmen and also that the selectmen will be authorized to make any agreements that they deem to be in the best interests of the town.

Unanimous vote. Ate

Article 3 Voted that the town appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of 180.01 to pay an unpaid bill of 1956.

Unanimous vote

Meeting adjourned at 8:05 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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Annual Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable;

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the  
inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in  
elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town  
Hall on Monday the seventeenth (17) day of February  
next at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there  
to act on the following articles in this warrant  
and to meet in the Town Hall at 10:00 o'clock  
in the morning on Tuesday the Eighteenth (18)  
day of February next, then and there to elect  
all necessary officers.

Polls to open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6: P.M.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to have a black  
board at the front of the hall, showing the effect on  
the tax rate of the various articles in the  
warrant or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to elect a Town  
Director for the Cape Cod Extension service.

No recommendation required

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will vote to  
dispose of its refunded Dog Tax.

Recommended that the Town place the refund  
ed dog tax at the disposal of the public library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the  
Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to  
borrow money from time to time, in anticipation  
of the revenue of the financial year beginning  
January 1, 1958 and issue a note or notes  
therefor payable in one year and to renew any note or  
notes as may be given for a  
period of less than one year in accordance  
with Section 17, Chapter 47 of the General Laws.

Recommended

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Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer,  
with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money in  
anticipation of re-embursement for the financial year  
beginning January 1, 1958, and to issue a note or notes  
therefor payable in one year and to renew any note or  
notes as may be given for a period of less than one year  
in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 47 General Laws.

Recommended

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate  
a sum of money not to exceed 1000.00 for the  
establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the  
Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis Mass. for the care and  
treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be  
residents of the Town and unable to pay for such  
care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111  
Section 74, General Laws, or take any action  
relative thereto.

Recommended 500.00

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the  
Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax title  
procedure by the Town and raise and  
appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose or  
take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty  
of fifty cents (.50) for each woodchuck killed within  
its boundaries during the ensuing year and  
and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00  
for this purpose or take any action relative  
thereto.

Recommended

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and  
appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available  
funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for  
Chapter 81 Highways or take any action  
relative thereto.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate  
the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a Police  
Cruiser and the present Cruiser to be traded in  
as a credit towards the new one.

Recommended

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Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1,500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire, and Police Dispatch Service for the year 1958.

Recommended

Article 12. To act on the Annual Report, including recommendation and report of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury sum of money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

Department	Recommendations of Dept. Heads and Finance Committee 1958
1. Accountant	1520.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	500.00
5. Assessor's Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditorium Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1300.00
8. Certification of notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	1300.00
11. Custodian	2912.00
12. Dog Officer Account	52.00
13. Dutch Elm Disease	100.00
14. Elections & Registration	650.00
15. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
16. Fire Department	5355.00
17. Health	700.00
18. Highways - General	1500.00
19. Insect Pest Control & Poisoning	1750.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	600.00
22. Interest	2700.00
23. Legal Expense	1000.00
24. Library	1500.00
25. Memorial Day	150.00
26. Miscellaneous	1000.00

27. Office Clerk	1496.00
28. Old Cemetery	350.00
29. Old Windmill Care & Improvement	700.00
30. Planning Board	250.00
31. Police Department	9500.00
32. Public Amusement and Statment	500.00
33. Public Welfare Services:	
A. Crib to Dependent Children	8000.00
B. Disability Assistance	2000.00
C. General Relief	1500.00
D. Old Age Assistance	20000.00
34. Welfare Worker	1764.00
35. Recreation Commission	1500.00
36. Reserve (From Overlay Surplus)	5000.00
37. Retirement	71344.23
38. School	97777.06
39. School Lunch	800.00
40. School Notes	7000.00
41. Sealer Heights & Measures	120.00
42. Secretary of the Finance Comm.	50.00
43. Selectmen & Assessor	900.00
44. Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
45. Snow	1000.00
46. Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
47. Society on Bonds	350.00
48. Tap Litter	1500.00
49. Town Dump	1800.00
50. Town Hall	4700.00
51. Town Landings	4500.00
52. Town Reports	1000.00
53. Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1050.00
54. Tree Warden	300.00
55. Veterans Benefits	3900.00
56. Vocational Education	1000.00
57. Wire Inspection	250.00

Total 213255.23

Less Transfr from Overlay Surplus 5000.00

Selectmen and Departmental recommendations for 1958 unanimously approved with the following exceptions: Item 31 Police Department, 8500.00 instead of 9500.00.

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Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the town as provided by Section 108, Chapter 44 General Laws, as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary

	Department Heads Recommendation
Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (700.00 each)	2100.00
Assessors (800.00 each)	2400.00
Board of Health (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer Collector Clerk	3900.00
	9425.00

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1957.  
Recommended

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding band concerts in the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 16 To see if the Town will vote to continue the Greenhead Fly Control under Section 24, Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws and the Town's share of expense to be taken from funds already appropriated and paid to the State Treasury.  
Recommended

Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 2,650.00 for the purchase of a new insect sprayer, the old one to be sold or traded in as a credit towards a new sprayer or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00, 1600.00 to be

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used in conjunction with 1600.00, from school funds for a salary of 3200.00 for a nurse, and the other 200.00 to be used for mileage expense, said nurse to be working both as a school and town nurse, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 19 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 535.00, for Castham's share of the Regional School District budget.  
Recommended

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2500.00 for the purpose of building a road and parking lot at First Encounter Beach (so-called) or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 21 To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 670 of the Acts of 1955, as amended by Chapter 605 of the Acts of 1956, these Acts pertaining to the retirement and pension laws.  
Recommended

Article 22 To see if the Town will vote to continue the Protective By-Law Review Committee, and raise and appropriate the sum of 200.00 for an expense account or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 23 To see if the Town will vote to establish a conservation commission to promote the development of natural resources in accordance with the provisions Section 8C, Chapter 40 General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 24 If favorable action is noted under the preceding article will the Town vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money enabling the conservation commission to discharge its duties in accordance with the provisions of Section 51, Chapter 40 General Laws or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended this be tabled for future action.

Article 25 To see if the Town will vote to amend Section VIII Paragraph 1, subsection (a) of the Zoning By-Law.

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by deleting the word "three" and inserting therefor the word "five".

No recommendation required.

Article 26. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-Law Section 11, by adopting Paragraphs 14 and 15 as follows:

14. Hospitals sanatoriums and rest homes

15. Boys and Girls Camps

No recommendation required

Article 27. To see if the town will vote to amend Section IV of the zoning by-law by adopting Paragraph 7 as follows:

7. Cottage rental units on a single parcel of land, provided that the land allocable to the first building whether dwelling or rental shall contain an area of not less than 20,000 square feet. The land allocable to subsequent rental units shall contain an area of not less than 10,000 square feet per unit.

No recommendation required.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by increasing the area of District D as follows:

Description-

Commencing at the northeasterly corner of the existing "District D", thence Easterly in a line perpendicular to Route 6 to the westerly sideline of the Old Colony Railroad land; thence

Southerly along the westerly sideline of said Railroad land to the southerly line of Lot 6 Block 41, as shown on the Assessor's map, thence

Westerly along the southerly line of said Lot 6, Lot 3, Block 41, and Lot 5, Block 40, of the Assessor's Map to the Easterly sideline of Herring Brook Road, a public way, thence

Northerly by the Easterly sideline of said Herring Brook Road to the intersection of said Herring Brook Road and Oak Road, a town way, thence

Easterly by the southerly sideline of Oak Road to the westerly side of "District D".

No recommendation required.

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Article 29

To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law, by establishing a "permissive use" area as follows:

From the Orleans-Eastham town line to the Eastham-Wellfleet town line along Route 6, to a depth of 500 feet on each side of the highway taking, however, the area shall extend Easterly to the westerly sideline of the Old Colony Railroad land north of the intersection of said Railroad and the Highway.

Reference to said Permissive Use area to be inserted in Section 11. Designated sub-paragraph (D).

This area shall not apply to the Districts C and D. No recommendation required.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law, by adopting the following uses in the "permissive use" area, provided said use or uses are not injurious, noxious or offensive to the neighborhood, and only if authorized by the Board of Appeals:

a. Hotels, motels or inns

b. Restaurants

c. Boat Yards

d. Gift or Craft shops

e. Public Utilities

f. Bank and professional buildings

g. Service stations

Said uses to be referred to in Section 5A. Paragraph 1.

No recommendation required.

Article 31. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by establishing a minimum 100 foot set-back from the sidelines of the street or highway in the "permissive use" area.

Said Article to be referred to in Section 5A. Paragraph 2.

No recommendation required.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by increasing the depths of Districts C and D from 300 feet to 500 feet on each

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side of Route 6 Highway taking except that on the Eastern side of District D shall extend to the westerly side line of the said taking Old Colony Railroad land.

No recommendation required.

Article 33. To see if the Town will vote to amend section 1 of the zoning By-law by adopting Paragraph 4 as follows:  
4. In Districts C and D business buildings shall have a minimum set-back of 100 feet from the nearest street or highway side line.  
No recommendation

Article 34 To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

No recommendation required

You are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in North Eastham, and the Post-office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

He who fails not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Eight.

Maurice W. Wiley Chairman

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

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Minutes Annual Town Meeting February 19, 1958.

Article 1. The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P. M. by the Moderator Prince H. Herd Jr. The Rev. Harold Arnold offered a prayer, and the call of the meeting was read, the reading of the Warrant being omitted. Harold Jennings and Harold Arnold were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to have a black board at the front of the hall showing the effect on the tax rate of the various Articles in the Warrant. Unanimous vote.

Article 2. Voted to elect a Town Director for the Cape Cod Extension Service Co. to nominate Joseph L. Putnam as such. Unanimous vote.

Article 3. Voted to place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library. Unanimous vote.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, and issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws. Unanimous vote.

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Selectmen with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1958, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws. Unanimous vote.

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care.

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And treatment in accordance with Chapter 11,  
Section 74 General Laws.

Unanimous Vote

Article 7 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town and to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Vote

Article 8 Voted to pay a bounty of 50 each for woodchucks killed within the Town's boundaries during the ensuing year and to raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous

Article 9 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 4,000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81 Highway work and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's share of the work. The reimbursement from the State to be received upon receipt to unappropriated available funds in the Treasury.

Unanimous vote

Article 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatches service for the year 1958.

Unanimous Vote

Article 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 800.00 for the purchase of a police Cruiser and the present cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Unanimous Vote

Article 2 Voted to accept the Annual report, including the recommendations of the Selectmen and other Town officers and raise and appropriate the sum of 20,775.23 for same and to transfer from Overlay Reserve to the Reserve Account 5,000.00

1. Accountant	1520.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	500.00
5. Assessor's Abstracts	200.00
6. Auctioneers Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1300.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	1300.00
11. Custodian	2912.00
12. Dog Officer Account	52.00
13. Dutch Elm Disease	100.00
14. Election & Registration	650.00
15. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
16. Fire Department	5355.00
17. Health	700.00
18. Highways - General	1500.00
19. Insect Pest Control & Poisoning	1750.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	600.00
22. Interest	2700.00
23. Legal Expense	1000.00
24. Library	1500.00
25. Memorial Day	150.00
26. Miscellaneous	1000.00
27. Office Clerk	1496.00
28. Old Cemetery	350.00
29. Old Windmill Care & Improvement	700.00
30. Planning Board	250.00
31. Police Department	9000.00
32. Public Amusement & Advertising	500.00
33. Public Welfare Services	
a. Aid to Dependent Children	8000.00
b. Disability Assistance	2000.00
c. General Relief	1500.00
d. Old Age Assistance	20000.00

34 Welfare Worker	1764.00
35 Recreation Commission	1500.00
36	5000.00
37 Retirement	1344.23
38 School	97777.00
39 School Lunch	800.00
40 School Notes	7000.00
41 Scale of Heights & Measures	120.00
42 Secretary of Finance Comm.	50.00
43 Selectmen and Assessors Expense	900.00
44 Shellfish Protection and Propagation	1500.00
45 Snow	1000.00
46 Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
47 Surety on Bonds	350.00
48 Tap Litter	1500.00
49 Town Dump	1800.00
50 Town Hall	4700.00
51 Town Landings	4500.00
52 Town Reports	1000.00
53 Treasure Collector Clerk Expense	1050.00
54 Tree Warden	300.00
55 Veterans Benefits	3900.00
56 Vocational Education	1000.00
57 Wire Inspections	250.00

Total 207755.23

Unanimous Vote

Article 13 Voted to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108, Chapter 44, General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate the sum of 9425.00 for same.

Moderator 25.00

Constable 50.00

Road Surveyor 50.00

Selectmen (700.00 each) 2100.00

Assessors (800.00 each) 2400.00

Board of Welfare (300.00 each) 900.00

Treasurer, Collector Clerk 3900.00

Unanimous Vote

Article 14 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 263 to pay the unpaid bills of 1957.

Unanimous Vote

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of 450.00 for the purpose of holding band concerts in the ensuing year.

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 450.00 for the purpose of holding band concerts in the ensuing year said concerts to be presented by the Orleans Band.

Unanimous Vote

Article 16 Voted to continue the Greenhead Fly Control under Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, the Towns share of expense to be taken from funds already appropriated and paid to the State Treasury.

Unanimous Vote

Article 17 Voted to transfer from unappropriated funds in the Treasury the sum of 2650.00 for the purchase of a new insect sprayer, the old one to be sold or traded in as a credit towards a new sprayer.

Unanimous Vote

Article 18 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 1800.00, 1600.00 to be used in conjunction with 1600.00 from school funds for a salary of 3200.00 for a nurse and the other 200.00 to be used for mileage expense, said nurse to be working both as a school and town nurse.

Unanimous Vote

Article 19 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 535.00 for Eastham's share of the Regional School District budget.

Unanimous Vote

Article 20 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2500.00 for the purpose of building a road and parking lot at First Encounter Beach.

Unanimous Vote

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Article 21 Voted to accept Chapter 670 of the Acts of 1955 as amended by Chapter 605 of the Acts of 1956, these Acts pertain to the retirement and pension laws.

Unanimous Vote

Article 22 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 200.00 for an expense account for, and to continue the Protective By-law Review Committee.

Unanimous Vote

Article 23 Not noted

Article 24 Not noted

Article 25 Voted to amend Section VIII, Paragraph 1, subsection (a) of the zoning by-law, by deleting the word "three" and inserting therefor the word "five".

Unanimous vote

Article 26 Voted to amend the zoning by-laws, Section III, by adopting paragraphs 14 and 15 as follows:

14. Hospitals, Sanitariums and Rest Homes.
15. Boy and Girls Camps.

98 yes 2 no

Article 27 Voted to add the following sentence to paragraph 7. "Cottage rental units hereunder shall remain as a single unit and may be sold only as such."

Unanimous Vote

Voted to amend Section IV of the zoning by-law by adopting Paragraph 7 as follows:

7. Cottage rental units on a single parcel of land provided that the land allocable to subsequent the first building whether dwelling or rental shall contain an area of not less than 20,000 square feet. The land allocable to subsequent rental units shall contain an area of not less than 10,000 square feet per unit.

88 yes 8 no

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Article 28 Voted to amend the zoning by-law by increasing the area of District D as follows:

Description

Easterly in a line perpendicular to Route 6 to the westerly sideline of the Old Colony Railroad land, thence southerly along the westerly sideline of said Railroad land to the southerly line of Lot 6, Block 1, as shown on the Assessor's map, thence

westerly along the southerly line of Lot 6, Lot 3, Block 41 and Lot 5 Block 40 of the Assessor's map, to the Easterly sideline of Herringbrook Road, a public way thence, northerly by the Easterly sideline of said Herring Brook Road to the intersection of Herring Brook Road and Oak Road, a town way, and thence Easterly by the southerly sideline of Oak Road to the westerly side of said "District D."

80 yes 1 no

Article 29 Voted to amend the zoning by-law by establishing a "permissive use" area as follows:

from the Orleans-Cartham town line to the Cartham-Weymouth town line along Route 6 to a depth of 500 feet on each side of the Highway taking however, the area shall extend Easterly to the westerly sideline of the Old Colony Railroad land North of the intersection of said Railroad and the Highway.

Reference to said Permissive Use area to be inserted in Section 11. Designated sub-paragraph - (D)

This area shall not apply to Districts C and D.

74 yes 10 no

Article 30 Voted to amend the zoning by-law by adopting the following uses in the "permissive use" area provided said use or uses are not injurious, noxious or offensive to the neighborhood and only if authorized by the Board of appeals.

- a) Hotels, motels or inns
- b) gift or craft shops
- c) Bank and Professional Buildings

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Said uses to be referred to as section (5-A) - Paragraph 1  
6.5 yrs 1 no.

Article 31 Voted to amend the zoning by-law by establishing a minimum 100-ft set-back from the sidelines of the street or highway in the "permissive use" area. Said Article to be referred to in section 5A Paragraph 2.  
43 Yes 7 no

Article 32 Voted to amend the zoning by-law by increasing the depths of Districts C and D from 300 feet to 500 feet on each side of Route 6 Highway taking except that on the Easterly side of said taking District D shall extend to the westerly sideline of the Old Colony Railroad.  
77 yes 2 no.

Article 33 Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 34

Meeting adjourned at 1:35 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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Annual Election February 18, 1958

The Annual Election of Town Officers was held this day in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting was called to order at 10: AM. by the presiding officer Luther P. Smith.

The following officers having been appointed to serve as Election officers were duly sworn to their duties by the Town Clerk:

Albert Hathaway  
Harold Arnold  
Elgie C. Milliken

The ballot box was examined and found to register yes.

At 6:05 the Polls were declared closed. There were 24 absentee ballots cast making a total of 316 Cast for the day from a possible 690.

The ballot box stood at 316, and the voting list showed a like number as having been checked. Following is a result of the voting:

Moderator	1 yr.	Bruce H. Hurd Jr.	296
		Blanks	20

Selectman Assessor Board	3 yrs	Maurice W. Riley	248
of Health and Welfare		John S. Pook Jr.	68

Constable	1 yr.	Harvey T. Moore	303
		Blanks	13

Highway Surveyor	1 yr.	Nathan A. Dickerson	296
		Blanks	20

School Committee	3 yrs.	Alton C. Crosby	292
		Blanks	294

Library Trustee	3 yrs.	Lina B. Norton	296
		Blanks	20

Planning Board	5 yrs.	Eugene S. Jack	285
		Blanks	31

"	1 yr.	Peter W. B. Cummings	290
		Blanks	26

Recreation Commission	5 yrs.	Edward J. Brown	290
		Blanks	26

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As the Town Clerk read the results of the Election, those having the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding officers.

At 6:30 the meeting adjourned the total number of ballots cast numbering 316 in a possible 690.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

March 21, 1958

The Moderator announced the following appointments to the Finance Committee.

Robert J. Erickson

Maurice Lerano

Stanley E. Horton Jr.

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# Selectmen's Appointments for 1958

Town Viewer	Winfred J. Knowles	Term Expires	3/1/59
Chief of Police	Winfred J. Knowles	"	3/1/59
Town Accountant	Genevieve C. Schroeder	"	3/1/59
General Clerk	Genevieve C. Schroeder	"	3/1/59
Janitor	Horace Moore	"	3/1/59
Town Dump Supt.	John Grogan	"	3/1/59
Civilian Defense Director	Clarence C. Doughty	"	3/1/59
Fire Chief	John H. Hilferty	"	3/1/59
Building Inspector	Ralph L. Rogers	"	3/1/59
Board of Appeals	Harold B. Jennings	"	3/1/59
Board of Appeals	Daniel Mead (5 yrs.)	"	3/1/63
"	George D. Dickie (4 yrs.)	"	3/1/62
"	Philip S. Horton Jr. (3 yrs.)	"	3/1/61
"	Clyde L. Becker (1 yr.)	"	3/1/59
Shellfish Constable	Howard L. Anderson	"	3/1/59
3/2/58 Dog Officer	Dr. James Leach	"	3/1/59
Special Police Officer	George B. Bridgwood	"	3/1/59
"	Harold L. Anderson	"	3/1/59
"	Robert L. Deschamps	"	3/1/59
Police Officer	Nesley B. Moore	"	3/1/59
"	Lewis F. Pearce	"	3/1/59
Ralph A. Chase	Veterans Agent	"	4/1/59
Moth Superintendent	Robert L. Schroeder	"	3/1/59
Johanna L. Brooke	Registrar	"	3/1/61
Dealer Weights & Measures	Stanley Walker	"	3/1/59
Inspector of Mines	Maurice A. Moore	"	3/1/59
Special Board of Health Agent	Dr. Fred Moore	"	3/1/59
Sanitary Inspector	George F. Crocker	"	3/1/59
"	Ernest C. Eldredge	"	3/1/59
Special Police Officer	Harace Moore	"	3/1/59
5/29/58 " "	Jerry Enos	"	3/1/59
6/9/58 Conservation Commission	Richard Collins	"	3/1/59
"	Samuel S. Bartlett	"	3/1/60
"	Robert J. Erickson	"	3/1/61
"	Nathan C. Nickerson Jr.	"	3/1/62
"	Alfred R. Miller	"	3/1/63
7/16/58 " "	Louie Benner to replace Samuel	"	3/1/60
"	B. Bartlett	"	3/1/60

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable ss

To Harry T. Moore, Constable Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to warn and notify the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall on Wednesday the eleventh (11<sup>th</sup>) day of May at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following articles in this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 1,000.00 to purchase beach land for a bathing for a bathing beach and parking lot at Coast Guard Beach; said land, shown as Lot 31 of Block 17 on the Assessor's Map to be purchased from Dr. Edward P. Richardson Jr., Mr. Elliot L. Richardson, and Dr. George S. Richardson heirs of Dr. Edward P. Richardson, for their right and title see Book 475, Page 64, in the Barnstable Registry of Deeds.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 1,000.00 to purchase land, shown as Lot 4 of Blk. 16, Transit Beach Plan No. 2 on the Assessor's Map from Ada P. Vidler and Robert D. Vidler, for their right and title see Book 579, Page 410 in the Barnstable Registry of Deeds, and also a parcel of land shown as Lot B on Land Court Plan #17649 from Robert D. Vidler and Helen B. Vidler for their right and title see Book 39, Page 47 at the Barnstable Registry of Deeds.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 400.00 to purchase land shown as Lot E2 on Land Court Plan #8937D and also shown as Lot 26 of Block 17 on the Assessor's Map from Mrs. Bertha Dill; for their right and title see Probate

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Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 4000.00 to be spent to repair the approaches to Boat Meadow Bridge, (so-called) under the provisions of Chapter 90 or take any action relative thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 2500.00 to be used in the grading and hard-topping of partial areas of the land purchased under Articles 2 & 3.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting copies thereof at the Post-office in North Eastham and at the Post-office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this Twenty fifth day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Eight.

Maurice W. Kelly  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Board of Selectmen

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Special Town Meeting Minutes  
May 7, 1958

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the notice met in the Eastham Auditorium, and there, being a quorum present, the meeting was called to order at 8. P. M. by the Moderator Prince W. Hurd Jr.

Nodd Arnold and Alongo Gill were appointed as teller, and duly sworn by the Town clerk. The call of the meeting was read, as well as the service of the warrant, by the Constable, Harry T. Moore, who swore the same.

Article I Voted to appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of 1,000.00 to purchase beach land for a bathing beach and parking lot at Crut Guard Beach; said land shown as Lot 31, of Block 17 on the Osceola Map, to be purchased from Dr. Edward P. Richardson Jr. Mr. Ellis H. Richardson and Dr. George S. Richardson heirs of Dr. Edward P. Richardson; for their rights and title see Book 475, Page 64 in the Barnstable Registry of Deeds.

79 Yea 1 No.

Article 2 Voted to appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of 1,000.00 to purchase land, shown as Lot 4 of Block 16, Nant Beach Plan No. 2 on the Osceola Map, from Ada Vidler and Robert D. Vidler; for their right and title see Book 579, Page 410 in the Barnstable Registry of Deeds, and also a parcel of land shown as Lot B on Land Court Plan # 17679, from Robert D. Vidler and Helen B. Vidler for their right and title see Book 39 Page 47 of the Barnstable Registry of Deeds.

Unanimous Vote

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Article 3

Voted to appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of 400.00 to purchase land shown as Lot E-2 on Land Court Plan # 8939D and also shown as Lot 26 of Block 17 on the Osceola Map from Mrs. Bertha Dill; for her right and title see Probate # 33860.

Article 4

Unanimous Vote  
Voted to appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of 4000.00 to be spent to repair the approaches to Boat Meadow Bridge (so-called) under the provisions of Chapter 90; 1000.00 being the Town's share 2000.00 the State's share and 1000.00 the County's share, said State and County share to be reimbursed to the Town later.

Article 5

Unanimous Vote  
Voted to appropriate from available funds in the treasury the sum of 2500.00 to be used in the grading and hard topping of partial areas of the land purchased under Articles 2 & 3.

The meeting adjourned at 8:50 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brashett  
Town clerk

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
Barnstable ss.  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

To Harvey T. More, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
you are hereby directed to warn and notify the  
Inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in  
elections and town affairs to meet at the  
Town Hall on Monday the twenty sixth day  
of May at 8 o'clock in the evening, then  
and there to act on the following articles in  
this warrant.

Article 1 To see if the Town will vote to express  
approval or disapproval of the amount of  
debt, namely \$1,500,000.00 authorized by the  
regional district school committee of the  
Eastham - Orleans - Wellfleet Regional School  
District on May 16, 1958

Article 2 To see if the Town will vote to establish  
a Conservation Commission to promote the  
development of the natural resources in  
accordance with the provisions of Chapter 40  
Section 8C of the General Laws.

Article 3 If favorable action is voted under the  
preceding Article, will the Town vote to  
appropriate from available funds in the  
Treasury the sum of 250.00 to enable the  
Conservation Commission to discharge its  
duties in accordance  
with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section  
51 of the General Laws.

You are directed to serve this warrant  
by posting attested copies thereof at the  
Post Office in North Eastham, and the Post  
Office in Eastham, seven days at least  
before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this  
warrant with your doings thereon to the  
Town Clerk at the time and place of

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holding said meeting

Given under our hands and seal this nineteenth  
day of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and  
Fifty Eight.

Maurice M. Bailey  
Luther P. Smith  
Bernard C. Coker

Board of Selectmen

Minutes of Special Town Meeting May 26, 1958  
Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters  
met in the Eastham Auditorium <sup>May 26<sup>th</sup> at 8<sup>00</sup> p.m.</sup> and there  
being a quorum present the meeting was called  
to order by the Moderator Prince W. Burd Jr. Alongs Gill  
and Leroy Richardson were appointed as tellers and  
duly sworn by the Town Clerk. The Call of the  
meeting was read as well as the service of the  
warrant by Harvey T. More, Constable, by the Town  
Clerk.

Article 1 Voted that the vote on Article 1 be by written  
ballot. Unanimous vote

Voted that the Town approve the amount of debt  
namely \$1,500,000.00 authorized by the regional  
district school committee of the Eastham - Orleans -  
Wellfleet Regional School District on May 16, 1958

105 yes 30 no

Article 2 Voted to establish a Conservation Commission  
to promote the development of the natural  
resources in accordance with the provisions  
of Chapter 40 Section 8C of the General Laws.  
46 yes 74 no

Article 3 Voted to transfer from available funds the  
sum of 250.00 to enable the Commission  
to discharge its duties in accordance  
with the provisions of Chapter 40, Section  
51 of the General Laws.

Unanimous Vote

Meeting adjourned at 10 P. M.

L. Isabelle Brackets

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## State Primary Warrant

Barnstable ss

To Harney T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham.  
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Eastham Town Hall on Tuesday the ninth day of September, 1958 at 12.00 noon for the following purpose: To bring in their votes to the Primary Officers for the nomination of candidates for political parties for the following offices:

Senator in Congress	For the Commonwealth
Governor	
Lieutenant Governor	
Secretary of the Commonwealth	
Treasurer and Receiver-General	
Auditor of the Commonwealth	
Attorney General	
Representative in Congress	9 <sup>th</sup> Congressional District
Councillor	1 <sup>st</sup> Councillor
Senator	Cape & Plymouth
Representative in General Court	2 <sup>nd</sup> Barnstable
District Attorney	
Clerk of Courts	Barnstable County
Register of Deeds	Districts
County Commissioners	County

The Polls will be open from 12 noon to 6 P.M.  
If you fail to do so and make return of this warrant with your doing thereon at the time and place of said meeting

Given under our hands this first day of September 1958

Maurice W. Niles  
Luther B. Smith  
Bernard C. Collins  
Selectmen of Eastham

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## State Primaries September 9, 1958

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the voters met in the Town Hall, the warrant was read and the following, who were appointed to serve at the meeting were sworn by the Town clerk: George S. Duffy, Elgie Mulliken, Harold Arnold and Robert Hathaway.

Polls opened at 12 noon, the ballot box stood at 000 at the opening of the Polls. Then proceeded to vote as follows:

Republican Party		
Senator in Congress		
Vincent J. Celeste		112 votes
Blanks		35 "
Charles Johnson	Governor	172 "
George Fungblod		
Blanks		35 "
Lieutenant Governor		
Clmer Nelson		132 "
Blanks		15 "
Secretary		
Mary Curran Rich		130 "
Blanks		17 "
Treasurer		
John C. Yerpe		130 "
Blanks		17 "
Auditor		
Auditor Thomas H. Adams		135 "
Blanks		12 "
Attorney General		
Christian A. Hester Jr.		140 "
Blanks		7 "
Congressman 9 <sup>th</sup> District		
P. Les Bessette		10 "
Charles Jahvik		28 "
Hastings Keith		77 "
Nathaniel Liden		24 "
Blanks		8 "
Councillor		
William E. Hall		54 "
Franklin W. L. Niles		76 "
Blanks		17 "

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## Senator Cape &amp; Plymouth Districts

Edward C. Stone 135 Votes  
 Blanks 12 "

Representative in General Court  
2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable District

Harry B. Ellis 133  
 Blanks 14

## District Attorney

Alan S. Falk 88  
 John F. Donoghue 21  
 Blanks

## Clerk of Courts Barnstable County

Barbara Holmes 138 Votes  
 Blanks 9 "

## Register of Deeds Barnstable District

Dean S. Sears 140  
 Blanks 7 Votes

## County Commissioners Barnstable County

Walter R. Nickerson 67 Votes  
 Oscar J. Cahoon 72 Votes  
 Blanks 8 "

## Democrats

## Governor

Foster Furcolo 10 Votes  
 Blanks "

## Lieutenant Governor

Robert F. Murphy 9 "  
 Blanks 1 "

## Secretary

Edward J. Cronin 9  
 Blanks 1 "

## Treasurer

Senator in Congress  
 John F. Kennedy 10 "  
 Blanks "

## Treasurer

William G. Shaughnessy 8 "  
 John F. Kennedy 2 "  
 Blanks

## Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley 8 "  
 Blanks 2 "

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## Attorney General

Edward J. McCormack 8 Votes  
 Endicott Peabody 2 "  
 Blanks

Congressman 9<sup>th</sup> District

John Almeida Jr. 1 Vote  
 George Curran 2 "  
 William McCulliffe 1 "  
 James O. Heill 5 "  
 Blanks 1

## Councillor

Joseph Dupont 3  
 Arthur B. Bellas  
 Francis Harrington 2  
 Richard C. Hayes  
 Leo P. Soares  
 Ernest C. Stasium  
 Kenneth L. Sullivan  
 Blanks 5

## Senator Cape &amp; Plymouth District

Benjamin Merrihue 8  
 Blanks 2

## Representative in General Court

2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable District  
 Walter W. Gilmore  
 Blanks 2

## District Attorney Southern District

Maurice M. Lyons 6  
 Edmund Dussis 1  
 Frank J. Farris  
 John J. Harrington 3  
 Daniel A. Sullivan  
 Blanks

## Clerk of Courts Barnstable County

## Register of Deeds Barnstable County

## County Commissioners Barnstable County

John J. Delasi 4 Votes  
 John A. Lulis 6  
 Blanks

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Voting machine stood at 157 at the closing of the Polls, that number having voted in a possible 723.

L. Isabelle Brashett  
Town clerk

Warrant for State Election November 4, 1958  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss,

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
you are hereby directed to notify and warn the  
inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in elections  
to meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham on Tuesday  
the 4<sup>th</sup> day of November next at 10 AM in the forenoon  
the purpose of bringing in their votes for

John F. Kennedy	Democratic
Vincent J. Ciletti	Republican
Laurence J. Gelfelder	Socialist Labor
Mark Shaw	Prohibition

Governor

Foster Furcolo	Democratic
Charles Gibbons	Republican
Henning A. Blomen	Socialist
Guy S. Melhamis	Prohibition

Lieutenant Governor

Robert F. Murphy	Democratic
Elmer C. Nelson	Republican
Harold E. Bassett	Prohibition
Francis A. Votano	Socialist

Secretary

Edward J. Cronin	Democratic
Marion Curran Bock	Republican
Fred Ingersoll	Prohibition
Julia Kohler	Socialist

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Treasurer

P. C.

John F. Kennedy	Democratic
John E. Yersa	Republican
Warren C. Parberg	Prohibition
John Edmandson	Socialist

Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	Democratic
Thomas Adams	Republican
John B. Lauder	Prohibition
Ernest A. Sotell	Socialist

Attorney General

Christian A. Hertz Jr.	Republican
Edward J. McCormack	Democratic
Charles A. Cooper	Socialist
Justin B. Mason	Prohibition

Congressman

John Almeida	Democratic
Hastings Keith	Republican

Councillor

Franklin Miles
Ernest C. Stasium

Senator Cape & Plymouth

Edward C. Stone	Republican
Benjamin Merrihue	Democratic

Representative in General Court

Harry Albro	Republican
Walter Gilmore	Democratic

District Attorney

Edmund Dinis	Democratic
Alan S. Falk	Republican

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Clerk of Courts

Barbara Holmes Bell

Republican

Register of Deeds

Dean Sears

Republican

County Commissioners

Oscar Cahoon

Republican

John Lulin

Democratic

## Question no. 1

Law proposed by Initiative Petition

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was dis-  
approved in the House of Representatives by a vote of  
13 in the affirmative and 132 in the negative  
and was approved in the Senate by a vote of 21  
in the affirmative and 17 in the negative?

## Summary

The proposed measure provides that every  
former public employee, other than a judge  
who is pensioned or retired for disability shall  
report to his retirement authority annually his  
earnings from gainful occupation during the  
preceding year; and that, if such earnings  
plus the pension exceed the regular compensation  
of the position formerly held, the pensioner shall  
refund that portion of his pension equal to such  
excess or the entire pension if such excess is  
greater than the pension. A refund, if required,  
shall not include any part of a pension represented  
by salary deductions from a special purchase  
by the former employee. The requirement of a  
refund is not applicable to income received in or  
prior to 1958.

## Question no. 2.

- A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the  
sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey,  
rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all other  
alcoholic beverages)?

- B. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale  
therein of wines and malt beverages (wines and beer,  
ale and all other malt beverages)?

- C. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein  
of all alcoholic beverages in packages, so-called, not to be  
drunk on the premises?

## Question no. 3

- A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse  
races be permitted in this County?
- B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog  
races be permitted in this County?

## Question no. 4

Shall an act passed by the General Court in the  
year nineteen hundred and fifty-eight entitled  
"An Act authorizing the construction and maintenance  
of a training school for fire fighters in the County of  
Barnstable" be accepted?

All of the above Candidates, officers and questions to  
be voted for on one ballot. The polls will be open  
from 10 A.M. to 6:30 P.M. and you are hereby directed to  
serve this warrant by posting attested copies  
thereof, one at the post-office in Eastham, and one  
in the post-office in No. Eastham seven days at  
least before time of holding said meeting.  
Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this  
warrant with your doings thereon to the Town  
Clerk at the time and place aforesaid.

Given under our hand and seal this  
day of October in the year of our Lord, One Thousand  
Nine hundred & fifty eight.

Polls will be open from 10 A.M. and may close at 6 P.M.

Maurice W. Wiley Chm.

Luther P. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

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## State Election 1958

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the voters met at the Town Hall. The warrant was read to-gather with the return of the officer serving the same. Elgie C. Milliken, Bertha Perreault and Charo Ullmann <sup>and George S. Duff</sup> were appointed as ballot clerks and sworn by the town clerk.

The Polls opened at 10 A.M. by Maurie W. Wiley, presiding election officer. The ballot box stood at 0.00 and 55¢ at closing, that being the number of ballots cast. Polls closed at 6 P.M. The results of the voting follows:

## Senators in Congress

John F. Kennedy	received	227	votes
Vincent J. Celente	"	304	"
Samuel Gilfedder	"		"
Mark B. Shaw	"	2	"
Blanks	"	23	"

## Governor

Foster Furolo	received		"
Charles Gibbons	"	92	"
Henning A. Blomen	"	459	"
Guy S. Williams	"	1	"
Blanks	"	4	"

## Lt. Governor

Robert F. Murphy	received	97	"
Elmer C. Nelson	"	444	"
Harold C. Bassett	"	1	"
Francis A. Votano	"		"
Blanks	"	14	"

## Secretary

Edward J. Cronin	received	148	"
Marian Curran Park	"	391	"
Fred M. Ingersoll	"	5	"
Julius B. Kohler	"	2	"
Blanks	"	10	"

## Treasurer

John F. Kennedy	received	128	"
John E. Yrpa	"	409	"
Warren C. Carberg	"	1	"
John Erickson	"		"
Blanks	"	18	"

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## Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	received	139	votes
Thomas H. Adams	"	339	"
John B. Lander	"	1	"
Rene A. Satell	"		"
Blanks	"	17	"

## Attorney General

Christian Kuter	received	467	"
Edward J. McCormack	"	79	"
Charles A. Cooper	"		"
Justus J. Jansen	"		"
Blanks	"	10	"

## Congressman

John Almeida	received	79	"
Hastings Herth	"	461	"
Blanks	"	16	"

## Councillor

Franklin Miles	received	460	"
Ernest C. Stasium	"	74	"
Blanks	"	22	"

## Senator

Edward C. Stone	received	474	"
Benjamin A. Menikoff	"	72	"
Blanks	"	10	"

## Representative in General Court

Harry B. Allen	received	462	"
Walter R. Gilman	"	81	"
Blanks	"	13	"

## District Attorney

Edmund Dinis	received	101	"
Alan S. Falk	"	432	"
Blanks	"		"

## Clerk of Courts

Barbara Holmes Kirk	received	511	"
Blank	"	45	"

## County Commissioner

Oscar J. Cahoon	received	452	"
John A. Lulis	"	90	"
Blanks	"	14	"

## Registrar of Deeds

Dean Sears		509	"
Blanks		47	"

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## Question #1 received

Do you approve of a law summarized below which was approved in the House of Representatives by a vote of 173 in the affirmative and 132 in the negative and was approved in the Senate by a vote of 21 in the affirmative and 17 in the negative?

yes 329

no 155

Blanks 72

## Question #2

A. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages?

yes 191

no 317

Blanks 48

B. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of wines and malt beverages?

yes 166

no 302

Blanks 88

C. Shall licenses be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

yes 221

no 274

Blanks 61

## Question #3

A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this County?

yes 78

no 448

Blanks 30

B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this County?

yes 73

no 436

Blanks 47

## Question #4

Shall an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and fifty eight entitled "An Act authorizing the Construction and maintenance of a training school for fire fighters in the County of Barnstable" be accepted?

yes 170

no 343

Blanks 43

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The voting machine stood at 556 at the closing of the polls, that number having voted out of a possible 718

Attest:

L. Isabelle Brachett

Town Clerk

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December 8, 1958

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

In compliance with Chapter 626 of the Acts of 1958, I wish to notify you of the meeting dates of the Eastham School Committee and the Eastham-Orleans Regional School District, as far as regular meetings are concerned for the remainder of the 1958-59 School Year.

Eastham School Committee Eastham-Orleans Regional School District

Dec. 11

Jan. 8

Feb. 5

Mar. 5

Apr. 9

May 7

June 11

Dec. 8

Jan. 12

Feb. 9

Mar. 9

Apr. 13

May 11

June 8

The Eastham Committee meets at the Eastham School at 7:30 P.M. and the Regional Committee meets in the library at Orleans High School at 8:00 P.M.

Yours very truly,  
Sydney J. Prince  
Supt. of Schools

Jan. 31, 1959

Eastham Town Office

Gentlemen:

This is to advise you that I am resigning as Custodian of the dump effective date Feb. 15, 1959 because of poor health.

Yours truly  
John Grazier

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# Annual Town Meeting Warrant The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable, ss.

To Henry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday the sixteenth (16) day of February next at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Articles in this warrant and to meet in the Town Hall at 10:00 o'clock in the morning on Tuesday the seventeenth (17<sup>th</sup>) day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary officers.

Polls to open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6:00 P.M.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to have a blackboard at the front of the hall, showing the effect of the tax rate of the various articles in the warrant or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to name that part of the Old State Highway, from Route 6 at LeRoy Babbitts to Route 6 at Miss Matilda Smart's Salt Pond Road, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will vote to dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Recommended that the Town place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1959 and issue a note or notes therefor payable in one

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year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Recommended

Article 5

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1959, and to issue a note or notes therefore payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Recommended

Article 6

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed 1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter III Section 74 General Laws or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 500.00

Article 8

To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents (50¢) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose.

Recommended

Article 8

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 9

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury

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a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 4,000.00

Article 10

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 850.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Recommended

Article 11

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire & Police Dispatch Service for the year 1959.

Recommended

Article 12

To act on the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

Recommendations of Dept. Heads and Financial Com. 1959	
1. Accountant	
2. Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Fee	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	500.00
5. Assessors Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditors Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1450.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	1200.00
11. Custodian	3120.00
12. Dog Office Exp	52.00
13. Dutch Elm Disease	100.00
14. Election & Registration	500.00
15. Finance Committee	25.00
16. Fire Department	5370.00
17. Health	700.00
18. Highway - General	1500.00
19. Insect Pest & Poison Dry Control	1365.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	720.00

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	23	Legal Expense	1000.00
	24	Library	1500.00
	25	Memorial Day	150.00
	26	Miscellaneous	1000.00
	27	Office Clerk	1600.00
	28	Old Cemetery	350.00
	29	Old windmill Care & Improvement	700.00
	30	Planning Board	250.00
	31	Police Department	10000.00
	32	Public Amusement & advertising	500.00
	33	Recreation Commission	1500.00
	34	Regional School District	46961.01
	35	Reserve	5000.00
	36	Retirement	1776.76
	37	School	29475.00
	38	School Lunch	800.00
	39	School Notes (addition)	7000.00
	40	Sealer of weights & measures	120.00
	41	Secretary of the Finance Committee	50.00
	42	Selectmen and Assessors Expense	900.00
	43	Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
	44	Snow	1000.00
	45	Soldiers & Sailors Lot	50.00
	46	Surety on Bonds	360.00
	47	Tap Tiller	1700.00
	48	Town Dump	2000.00
	49	Town Hall	5300.00
	50	Town Landings	5000.00
	51	Town Reports	1000.00
	52	Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1050.00
	53	Tree Warden	300.00
	54	Veterans Benefits	3000.00
	55	Vocational Education	1000.00
	56	Welfare Administration	1872.00
	57	Welfare Services	27000.00
	58	Wine Inspection	250.00
			248,730.77
		Less transfer from Overlay Surplus	5000.00
			243,730.77

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Article 13	To see if the town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the town as provided by section 108, chapter 44, General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:	
	Moderator	Sept. 1958 of recommended 25.00
	Constable	50.00
	Road Surveyor	50.00
	Selectmen (800.00 each)	2400.00
	Assessors (1000.00 each)	2000.00
	Board of Welfare (300.00 each)	900.00
	Treasurer Collector Clerk	3900.00
	Recommended	10,235.00

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1958.

Recommended

Article 15. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding bond concerts in the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 450.00

Article 16. To see if the town will vote to continue the Greenhead Fly Control under section 24, chapter 252, General Law 39.20 to be raised and appropriated and the balance 307.20 to be taken from funds already appropriated and paid to the State Treasury.

Recommended

Article 17. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2000.00 for the purpose of constructing a tennis court on the elementary school grounds or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

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- Article 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2000.00, 1700.00 to be used in conjunction with 1700.00 from school funds for a salary of 3400.00 for a nurse and the other. Recommended
- Article 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 385.00 to pay the operating charge for four (4) lumens Mercury St. lights on the State Highway in front of the Town Hall or take any action relative thereto. Recommended
- Article 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 Highways, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended 2000.00
- Article 21. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 4,000.00 to purchase a rescue truck and equipment or take any action relative thereto. Not Recommended
- Article 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 2,800.00 to be spent in conjunction with State Funds for the improvement of boating facilities at Rock Harbor Creek or take any action relative thereto. Recommended
- Article 23. To see if the town will vote to accept Section 6B of Chapter 40 of the General Laws, this pertains to the town purchasing Police and Firemen's uniforms, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended

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- Article 24. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money enabling the Conservation Commission to discharge its duties in accordance with the provisions of Section 51, Chapter 40, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended 250.00
- Article 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to purchase land and erect a fire station in the north part of the town, or take any action relative thereto. Recommended yes 3, no 2.
- Article 26. To see if the town will vote to amend Section IV paragraph 7 of the Zoning by-law, by adopting the following sentence in addition thereto: "Engineered Plans of cottage rental units shall be filed with the Building Inspector prior to issue of a building permit, showing service drives and allocating 100 foot frontage to the land for each rental unit." No recommendation required
- Article 27. To see if the town will vote to amend Section V of the Zoning By-Law adopting paragraph 4 as follows: "In Districts C. & D. business buildings shall have a minimum set-back of 100 feet from the nearest street or highway sideline." No recommendation required
- Article 28. To see if the town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law by deleting from paragraph (a) of the section entitled "Definition" the figure "400" and inserting therefor the figure "500." No recommendation required

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Article 29 To see if the Town will vote to amend the Building Code, so-called, by deleting therefrom paragraph "A.A" Article 15.

No recommendations required.

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Building Code, so-called, by deleting paragraphs "B", "C", and "D", Article 15, and inserting there the following table to be inserted as paragraph "B":

Maximum clear spans for various sizes:

Table I

Maximum clear spans for wood girders	one story dwellings		one & 1/2 story dwellings	
size in inches				
4x6	5	0	5	0
6x6	6	0	5	2
4x8	6	4	5	6
4x10	8	0	7	0
6x8	8	0	7	0
6x10	9	0	8	0

Table II

Maximum clear spans for floor joists assumed live load of 40 lbs. per square foot; dead load 10 lbs. Spacing of joists is 16" center to center.

size in inches	No. 1 framing		No. 2 framing	
	ft.	in.	ft.	in.
2x4	9	1	8	6
2x6	12	1	11	4
2x8	15	3	14	4
2x10	17		16	7
3x10	17	8	17	3
2x12	18	5		

Table III

Maximum clear spans for ceiling joists live load none; dead load 10 lbs. per square foot. Spacing of joists is 16" center to center.

size in inches	ft.	in.
2x4	10	0

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2x6

15 4

2x8

20 2

Note: Where the attic space above the ceiling joists is unfinished but is usable for storage space, or if the space is suitable for finishing into future habitable room, the span for the ceiling joists shall be figured the same as for the floor joists.

Table IV

Maximum clear spans of rafters for wood or asphalt shingle roofs.

Par. 1. Clear span shall mean the distance measured horizontally from the inside of the plate to a point directly beneath the ridge the actual rafter length will depend on the roof slope and must be determined accordingly.

Par. 2. This table is for roofs with a minimum pitch of 5" to 12"; for roofs with less pitch the rafters shall be figured as floor joists spacing center to center 24".

size in inches	ft.	in
2x4	6	6
2x6	10	3
2x8	13	8
20"	16"	

ft.	in	ft.	in
7	3	8	1
11	4	12	6
15	2	16	7

Tables I, II, III and IV are based on a minimum fiber stress of 1200 pounds.

No recommendations required.

Article 31 To see if the Town will vote to amend the building Code, so-called by adopting paragraph "D" Article 15 as follows:

"The walls and ceilings of all basement garages shall be of fire resistant material and attached garages must be separated

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by fire resistant walls and/or ceilings.  
 No recommendation required  
 To hear the reports of Committees and to do or  
 act on anything which may legally come before  
 this meeting.

No recommendation required.

You are hereby directed to serve this warrant  
 by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-  
 Office in Eastham, the North Eastham Post-Office  
 seven days at least before the date of hold-  
 ing said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return  
 of this warrant with your doings thereon  
 at the time and place of holding said  
 meeting.

Given under our hands and seals  
 this 31<sup>st</sup> day of January in the year of  
 our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and  
 Fifty-Nine.

Maurice W. Niley, chairman

Luther C. Smith

Bernard C. Collins

Board of Selectmen

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Minutes Annual Town Meeting February 16, 1959

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M.  
 by the Moderator, Prince H. Hurd Jr. Reverend Harold  
 Arnold offered a prayer, and there being a quorum  
 present, the Call of the meeting was read by the Town  
 Clerk. The reading of the Warrant was omitted by consent  
 of the meeting. Robert Pettengill and Harold Arnold were  
 appointed as tellers and <sup>they</sup> duly sworn to their duties by  
 the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to have a blackboard at the front of the hall  
 showing the effect on the tax rate of the various articles  
 in the warrant. Unanimous Vote.

Article 2. Voted to name that part of the old State Highway  
 from Route 6 at LeRoy Babbitts to Route 6 at Miss Matilda  
 Smart's Salt Pond Road. Unanimous Vote.

Article 3. Voted to place the Refunded Dog Tax at the disposal  
 of the Public Library. Unanimous Vote.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the treasurer, with the approval of the  
 Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation  
 of the revenue of the financial year beginning January  
 1, 1959, and issue a note or notes therefore payable  
 in one year and renew any note or notes as  
 may be given for a period of less than one year  
 in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.  
 Unanimous Vote.

Article 5. Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the  
 Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in  
 anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year be-  
 ginning January 1, 1959, and to issue a note or  
 notes therefore payable in one year and to renew any  
 note or notes as may be given for a period of less  
 than one year in accordance with Section 17  
 Chapter 44, General Laws. Unanimous Vote.

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Article 6 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to care for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws

Unanimous Vote

Article 7 Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose

Unanimous Vote

Article 8 Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents (50¢) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose

Unanimous Vote

Article 9 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 4,000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 31 Highways work, - and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from unappropriated available funds in the treasury to meet the State's share of the work, the reimbursement from the State to be restored upon receipt to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Unanimous Vote

Article 10 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 850.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Unanimous Vote

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Article 11 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatches service for the year 1959.

Unanimous vote

Article 12 Voted to accept the Annual Report including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town officers and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 243,230.77, and to transfer the amount of 5000.00 from the Overlay Surplus for the Reserve account and 3000.00 from the Available funds to increase the Snow account from 1000.00 to 4000.00.

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Unanimous Vote

Voted to amend Article 12 as follows: a stipulation that 200.00 as a maximum may be expended from the school budget for out of state travel.

Unanimous Vote

(See end of Warrant)

Article 13 Voted to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 102, Chapter 41 General Laws as amended and to raise and appropriate the sum of 10,325.00 for same as follows:

Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (800.00 each)	2400.00
Assessors (1000.00 each)	3000.00
Board of Health (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer Collector Clerk	3900.00
	10325.00

Unanimous Vote

Article 14 Voted to pass Article 14 as there were no unpaid bills.

Unanimous vote.

Article 15 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 450.00 for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year and to hire the Orleans Band for the purpose

Unanimous vote

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Article 16 Voted to continue the Greenhead Fly Control under Section 27, Chapter 252, General Laws, 39.20 to be raised and appropriated, and the balance 307.20 to be taken from funds already appropriated and paid to the State Treasury.

Unanimous Vote

Article 17. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2000.00 from available funds for the purpose of constructing a tennis court on the Elementary School grounds.  
81 yes 74 no.

Article 18 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,000.00, 17,000.00 to be used in conjunction with 1,700.00 from school funds for a salary of 3,400.00 for a nurse, and the other 300.00 to be used for expenses, said nurse to be working both as a school and town nurse.

Unanimous Vote

Article 19 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 385.00 to pay the operating charge for four human mercy street lights on the State Highway in front of the Town Hall.

Unanimous Vote

Article 20 Voted to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 8,000.00 for Chapter 90 Highway Construction on Menemway Road; 2,000.00 being the Town's share 4,000.00 as the State's share and 2,000.00 the County's share; the re-embursement from the State and County to be restored upon receipt to unappropriated available funds in the Treasury.

Unanimous Vote

Article 21 Not Voted

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Article 22 Voted to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury the sum of 2,800.00 to be spent in conjunction with State funds for Marine to improve boating facilities at Rock Harbor Creek.

Unanimous Vote

Article 23 Voted to accept Section 6B of Chapter 40 of the Chapter 40 of the General Laws; this pertaining to the Town purchasing Police and Firemen's uniforms.

Unanimous Vote.

Article 24 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 250.00 enabling the Conservation Commission to discharge its duties in accordance with the provisions of Section 5, Chapter 40 Clause 51.

Unanimous Vote.

Article 25 Not Voted. No 125 Yes 102

Article 26 Voted to amend Article 26 by deleting the word "Engineered" and substitute the words "Scaled Site Plans."

Voted: to amend Section I paragraph 7 of the zoning by-law by adopting the following sentence in addition thereto: "Scaled site plans of cottage rental cottage units shall be filed with the Building Inspector prior to issue of a building permit, showing service drives and allocating 100 foot frontage to the land for each rental unit."  
88 yes 9 no.

Article 27 Voted to amend Section I of the zoning By Law by adopting paragraph 4 as follows: "In Districts C<sup>2</sup> & D business buildings shall have a minimum set-back of 100 feet from the nearest street or highway sideline."

Unanimous Vote

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Article 28. Voted to amend the zoning by-law by deleting from paragraph (c) of the section entitled "definitions" the figure "400" and inserting therein the figure "500".  
Unanimous vote.

Article 29. Voted to amend the Building Code so called by deleting therefrom paragraph "AA"; Article 15.  
Unanimous vote.

Article 30. Voted to amend the Building Code by deleting paragraph "B" "C" and "D" Article 15, and by adding after the table <sup>which will be identified as paragraph F</sup> the following words:  
"Nothing in the foregoing table shall be construed to prevent other methods or types of dwelling construction provided, however, that such other methods or types of dwelling construction shall be submitted for the approval of the Building Inspector in such form as he may require and approved by him."  
Unanimous vote.

retaining paragraph "B" "C" and "D" Article 15  
inserting the following table which will be identified as Paragraph F:

Table II

Maximum clear spans for wood girders:				
Size in inches	No. 1 framing		No. 3 framing	
	ft.	in.	ft.	in.
2x4				
2x6	9	1	8	6
2x8	12	1	11	4
2x10	15	3	14	4
3x10	17	8	16	9
2x12	18	5	17	3

Table I

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Maximum clear spans for wood girders:

Size in inches	one story dwellings		one & 1/2 story dwellings	
	ft.	in.	ft.	in.
4x6	5	0	4	0
6x6	6	0	5	2
4x8	6	4	5	6
4x10	8	0	7	0
6x8	8	0	7	0
6x10	9	0	8	0

Table II

Maximum clear spans for floor joists assumed live load of 40 lbs. per sq. ft.; dead load 10 lbs. spacing of joists is 16" center to center.

Size in inches	No. 1 framing		No. 3 framing	
	ft.	in.	ft.	in.
2x4				
2x6	9	1	8	6
2x8	12	1	11	4
2x10	15	3	14	4
3x10	17	8	16	9
2x12	18	5	17	3

Table III

Maximum clear spans for ceiling joists, live load none; dead load 10 lbs. per square ft. spacing of joists is 16" center to center.

Size in inches	ft.	in.
2x4	10	0
2x6	15	4
2x8	20	2

Note: When the attic space above the ceiling joists is unfinished but is usable for storage space, or if the space is suitable for finishing into future habitable rooms, the span for the ceiling joists shall be figured the same as for the floor joists.

Table IV

Maximum clear spans of rafters for wood or asphalt shingle roofs.

Par. 1 Clear span shall mean the distance measured horizontally from the inside of the

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plate to a point directly beneath the ridge; the actual rafter length will depend on the roof slope and must be determined accordingly.

Par. 2. This table is for roofs with a minimum pitch of 5" to 12" for roofs with less pitch the rafters shall be figured as floor joists spacing center to center 24"

Size in inches	ft.	in.
2x4	6	6
2x6	10	3
2x8	13	8
20"		16"

ft.	in.	ft.	in.
7	3	8	1
11	4	12	6
15	2	16	7

Tables I, II, III, and IV are based on a minimum fiber stress of 1200 pounds.

Nothing in the foregoing tables shall be construed as to prevent other methods or types of dwelling construction <sup>provided proper and such other methods of types of</sup> shall be submitted for the approval of the Building Inspector in such form as he may require and approved by him.

Unanimous Vote

Article 31. Voted to amend Article 31 by deleting the letter "D" and substituting therefore the letter "G". Unanimous Vote

Voted to amend the Building Code so-called by adopting paragraph "G" Article 15, as follows:

The walls and ceilings of all basement garages shall be of fire resistant material, and attached garages must be separated by fire resistant walls and/or ceilings. The word

Unanimous

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Article 31

Voted to amend Article 31 by deleting the letter "D" and substituting therefore the letter "G" and adding the following words:

"The words 'Fire Resistant' shall imply wall and/or ceilings construction having a minimum resistance to fire of one hour, as determined by the National Board of Fire Underwriters or other recognized authority."

Unanimous Vote

Voted to Amend the Building Code so-called by adopting Paragraph "G" Article 15 as follows: "The walls and ceilings of all basement garages shall be of fire resistant material and attached garages must be separated by fire resistant walls & ceilings."

The words 'Fire resistant' shall imply wall and/or ceiling construction having a minimum resistance to fire of one hour, as determined by the National Board of Fire Underwriters or other recognized authority."

Unanimous Vote

Article 32

Voted to authorize the Selectmen to combine the subdivision regulations, the zoning By-Laws, the Building Codes and the Board of Health rules and regulations in one booklet.

Unanimous Vote

It was voted to discharge the Protective By-Law Review Committee and a new Committee of not more than 12 members be appointed by the Selectmen.

Unanimous vote

Voted that the Windmill Park Committee be established and a Committee of seven (7) including the 3 Selectmen be appointed by the Moderator. The Moderator announced the following names: A. Henry Richardson of the Planning Board, Louis Benner of the Conservation Committee and Otto C. Richardson and Eben Wood.

Unanimous Vote.

Voted to have a Committee appointed by the Chair to investigate the advisability of installing red stop signs to help moderate traffic in the Town.

Unanimous Vote

The Moderator announced the following members: Edwin Johnson, John Blatchford and Lewis Beane.

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In view of the fact that Mr. Charles Smith our oldest resident and holder of the Gold Cane was present he was recognized and asked to rise for appropriate applause.

Mr. Bernard Collins retiring selectman was shown appreciation for his service while acting as a member of the Board of Selectmen, Assessors, Board of Public Welfare and Health for the preceding six years, when the Town meeting accorded him a rising vote of thanks.

There being no more business to come before the meeting adjournment came at 11:55 P.M.

Leahelle Brackett Town Clerk

Petition Items	Department	Recommendations
1.	Accountant	1624.00
2.	Expense	250.00
3.	Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4.	Appeal Board	500.00
5.	Assessor's abstracts	200.00
6.	Auditorium Note	3000.00
7.	Building Inspector	1450.00
8.	Certification of Notes	10.00
9.	Christmas Tree	150.00
10.	Civilian Defense	1200.00
11.	Custodian	3120.00
12.	Dog Officer &c	52.00
13.	Dutch Elm Disease	100.00
14.	Electric & Registration	500.00
15.	Finance Committee	25.00
16.	Fire Department	5370.00
17.	Health	700.00
18.	Highways - General	1500.00
19.	Insect Pest and Poison Iny Control	1365.00
20.	Inspector of Animals	80.00
21.	Insurance	720.00
22.	Interest	2500.00
23.	Legal Expense	1000.00

24.	Library	1500.00
25.	Memorial Day	150.00
26.	Miscellaneous	1000.00
27.	Office Club	1600.00
28.	Old Cemetery	350.00
29.	Old Windmill Care	700.00
30.	Planning Board	250.00
31.	Police	10,000.00
32.	Public Amusement & Administration	500.00
33.	Recreation Commission	1500.00
34.	Regional School District	46961.01
35.	Reserve	5000.00
36.	Retirement	1776.76
37.	School	89475.00
38.	School Lunch	800.00
39.	School Notes	7000.00
40.	Sealer Heights & Measures	120.00
41.	Secretary Finance Comm.	950.00
42.	Selectmen & Assessors &c	1900.00
43.	Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
44.	Snow (3000.00 to be transferred from Available Funds)	4000.00
45.	Soldiers & Sailors &c	50.00
46.	Suit on Bonds	360.00
47.	Tax Letters	1700.00
48.	Town Dump	2000.00
49.	Town Hall	5300.00
50.	Town Landings	5000.00
51.	Town Reports	1000.00
52.	Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1050.00
53.	Tree Pruning	300.00
54.	Veterans Benefits	3000.00
55.	Vocational Education	1000.00
56.	Welfare Administration	1172.00
57.	Welfare Services	27000.00
58.	Wire Inspection	250.00
	Less Snow 3000.00 (transferred from E & D)	251230.77
	Less Reserve 5000.00 (" " Overlay Reserve)	248230.77
		248230.77

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Annual Election February 17, 1959

The Annual Election of Town officers was held this day in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting was called to order at 10:00 A.M. by the presiding officer Maurice W. Riley. The following officers having been appointed to serve as election officers were duly sworn to their duties by the Town Clerk:

Bertha Bercault

Ethan Ullman

Harold Bercault

The ballot box was examined and found to register zero.

At 6:15 P.M. the polls were closed. There were 52 absentee votes cast making a total of 599 out of a possible 742.

The ballot box stood at 599 and the voting list showed a like number as having voted.

Following is a result of the voting

Moderator 1 yr.	Fred G. Lapierre Jr.	29
	Priscilla D. Dwyer Jr.	27
	Ralph A. Chase	12
	Robert Deschamps	2
	Lloyd Mayo	2
	Maurice More	3
	Edmund Milliken	12
	Clarence Doughty	4
	Alfred Miller	6
	Theodore Hicks	4
	John Blatchford	7
	Nathan Hickerson	1
	Edward Brown	2
	John Poole	2
	Harry Young	2
	Maurice Riley	2
	Genevieve Schroeder	1
Blanks		490

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Board of Selectmen 3 years

Board of Assessors

Board of Public Welfare

Board of Health

James Clancy	42 votes
Clarence Doughty	85 "
Prince H. Hurd Jr.	225 "
James Leach	70 "
Maurice A. More	134 "
John Poole Jr.	42 "
Blanks	1

Constable 1 year

Harvey T. More

Blanks

562 "

37

Highway Surveyor

Nathan A. Hickerson

Blanks

571

28

Regional School Committee 2 yrs.

Richard Vanderhay

Blanks

515

84

School Committee 3 years

Elizabeth F. Collins

Blanks

549

50

Library Trustee 3 years

Sadie F. Flints

Blanks

533

66

Tree Warden 3 years

Charles Acoban

William Hoffman

Ernest More

Blanks

302

154

124

19

Planning Board 5 years

Prescott B. Cummings

Charles D. Deane

Blanks

413

155

31

Recreation Commission 5 years

Verna D. MacPherson

Blanks

509

90

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As the Town Clerk read the results of the election those having the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding officials.  
At 7<sup>00</sup> o'clock the meeting adjourned, the total number of ballots cast being 599.

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

Feb. 25

The Moderator Fred J. Lyskawa Jr. announced the three (3) new Finance Committee members as follows:

William Hokenan 3 yrs.  
Louis H. Gregory 3 yrs.  
Helen M. Collins 3 yrs.

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## Selectmen's Appointments

		Expires
Board of Appeals Associate member	Ralph Ormaly	3/1/59
Board of Registrars	Elmer Ullman	3/1/59
John S. Poole Jr.	Special Police	3/1/60
Stanley Walker	Sealer, Weights & Measures	3/1/60
Winifred J. Knowles	Chief of Police	3/1/60
Winifred J. Knowles	Fence Viewer	3/1/60
John H. Heferty	Fire Chief	3/1/60
Clarence C. Doughty	Civilian Defense	3/1/60
Howard L. Anderson	Shellfish Constable	3/1/60
Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Wines	3/1/60
Charles Escobar	Moth Superintendent	3/1/60
Dr. James Leach	Dog Officer & Inspector of Slaughtering	4/1/60
Dr. James Leach	Inspector of Animals	4/1/60
C. May Dunphy	Town & School Nurse	3/1/60
Howard L. Anderson	Police Officer	3/1/60
George R. Bridgwood	"	3/1/60
Lewis Beane	"	3/1/60
Harold Jennings	Associate member Bd. of Appeals	3/1/61
Richard Collins	Conservation Commission	3/1/61
Ralph L. Ormaly	Associate member Bd. of Appeals	3/1/60
Clyde Becker	member Board of Appeals	3/1/64
Ralph L. Rogers	Building Inspector	3/1/60
Laurence A. Baker	Veteran & Burial Agent	3/1/60
Dorrie Mays	Social Worker	3/1/60
Genevieve Schroeder	Office Clerk	3/1/60
Robert Deschamps	Police Officer	3/1/60
Jerry Emond	Police Officer	3/1/60
Earl Horton	Town Dump Supt.	3/1/60
Henry McCane	Board of Registrars	3/1/62
Harold Moore	Special Police	3/1/60
Hoison Miron	Janitor	3/1/60
Walter Janin	Special Police	2nd Shift
Charles N. Deane	member Janing Review	"
Bernard C. Collins	"	"
Marion A. Williams	"	"
Edmond C. Miller	"	"
Walter E. Janin	"	"
Eugene Jack	"	"

1959	Daniel Meade	Member Towning Review Comm.	3/1/60
	A. Henry Pickerson	"	3/1/60
	Prescott B. Cummings	"	3/1/60
	Ralph Rogers	"	3/1/60
5/6/59	Herbert Collins	C.D. Auxiliary Police Officer	Duration
	"	Police Officer	3/1/60
7/2/59	Lloyd Mayo	Shellfish Warden appointed 6/6/59	3/1/60
	Walter E. Garin	Special Police Officer	9/8/59
	Harold Sturges	Life Guard	9/8/59
	Edward Calera	"	9/8/59
	Margaret Campbell		
	Dorcas Gill	School Committee	3/1/60
12/30/59	Carroll King	(Unexpired term Elzie Milliken deceased)	3/1/60

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June 30, 1959

Town of Eastham

Dear Sirs:

Owing to the fact that my present job has been extended indefinitely, I feel I should tender my resignation as Shellfish Warden for the Town of Eastham.

I hope at this time express my gratitude for all that has been done for me; my tenure was a most enlightening period.

I remain sincerely yours

Howard Anderson

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, s.e.

To Harvey T. Moore Constable of the  
Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable.

In the name of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts, you are hereby directed  
to warn and notify the Inhabitants of  
said Town qualified to vote in elections  
and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall  
on Thursday, the Twenty-second (22) day of  
October at 7:30 o'clock in the evening, then  
and there to act on the following articles in  
this warrant.

Article I To see if the Town will assume liability in  
the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter  
91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapters  
516 and 524, Acts of 1950 for all damages that  
may be incurred by work to be performed  
by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts  
for the improvement, development, maintenance  
and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers  
and streams, harbors, tidewater, foreshores  
and shores along a public beach outside  
Boston Harbor, including the Merrimack and  
Connecticut Rivers in accordance with  
Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and  
authorize the Selectmen to execute and  
delieve a bond of indemnity therefor to the  
Commonwealth.

Article II To hear the reports of Committee and to do or  
act on anything which may legally come  
before the meeting.

You are directed to serve this warrant  
by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office  
in Eastham seven days at least before date of  
holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return  
of this warrant with your doings thereon  
to the Town Clerk at the time and place of  
holding said meeting.

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Given under our hands and seals this thirtieth  
day of October in the year of our Lord One Thousand  
Nine Hundred and Fifty Nine.

Maurice W. Riley

Luther P. Smith

Prince H. Hurd Jr.

Board of Selectmen

Minutes Special Town Meeting October 22, 1959

The Special Town Meeting was called to order by  
the Moderator, Fred Lapinwa, at 7:45 P.M. There being  
a quorum present, the call of the meeting was read  
by the Town Clerk Louis Gregory and John Poole were  
appointed as tellers, and duly sworn by the Town  
Clerk. No objections being raised, the reading of the  
Articles by the Town Clerk was dispensed with.

Article I Voted that the Town will assume liability in  
the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of  
the General Laws, as amended by Chapters 516  
and 524, Acts of 1950, for all damages that may  
be incurred by work to be performed by the  
Department of Public Works of Massachusetts, for the  
improvement, development, maintenance and  
protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers  
and streams, harbors, tidewater, foreshores  
and shores along a public beach outside  
of Boston Harbor including the Merrimack  
and Connecticut Rivers in accordance  
with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws,  
and authorize the Selectmen to execute and  
delieve a bond of indemnity therefor to the  
Commonwealth.

Unanimous Vote

The meeting Adjourned at 7:55 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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## Special Town Meeting

Barnstable ss.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of  
Carrham, in the County of Barnstable.

In the name of the Commonwealth, you  
are hereby directed to notify and warn  
the inhabitants of said Town, qualified  
to vote in elections and Town affairs  
to meet at the Town Hall on Thursday,  
the nineteenth (19) day of November next, at  
8:00 o'clock in the evening, there and  
there to act on the following articles in  
this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate  
from available funds in the Treasury a sum  
of money for the purpose of hiring Planning  
Consultants and Development advisors, or take  
any action relative thereto.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate  
from available funds in the Treasury the  
sum of 2,000.00 to be spent in conjunction  
with hearings on the National Park, or  
take any action relative thereto.

Article 3. To act on anything which may legally  
come before the meeting.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate  
from available funds in the Treasury a sum  
of money to be spent in conjunction with  
State funds for work now being done at  
Rock Harbor Creek, or take any action relative  
thereto.

Hereof fail not and make due return  
of this warrant with your doings thereon  
to the Town Clerk at the time and place of  
holding said meeting.

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Given under our hands and seals the 9<sup>th</sup> day of  
November in the year of our Lord, One thousand Nine  
Hundred and Fifty Nine.

Walter W. Wiley, Chairman  
Luther B. Smith  
Linn H. Hurd Jr.  
Board of Selectmen

Minutes Special Town Meeting, Nov. 18, 1959

The special Town meeting was called to order at  
8:05 P.M., by the Moderator Fred G. Lapina Jr. There being  
a quorum present, the call of the meeting was read  
by the Town Clerk, Thomas E. Bongers, and Charles  
Deane were appointed as tellers and duly sworn  
by the Town Clerk. No objections being raised, the reading  
of the Articles in the warrant was deferred until.

Article 1. Voted to appropriate from available funds in the  
treasury the sum of 1800.00 for the purpose of hiring  
Consultants and Development advisors.

Unanimous vote.

Article 2. Voted to transfer from available funds in the  
treasury the sum of 2,000.00 to be spent in  
connection with hearings on the National  
Park, part of same to be spent for out of state  
travel.

Unanimous vote

Article 3. Voted to transfer from available funds in  
the treasury the sum of 500.00 to be used in  
conjunction with State funds for work now  
being done at Rock Harbor. Unanimous vote

Article 3. It was noted that money appropriated under Article  
1 would be spent under the supervision of the  
Planning Board.

Unanimous vote

Under this article the National Park situation  
was discussed, and Mr. Hurd, selectman read a  
letter stating the hearing in Carrham on the  
park would be held on December 9, 1959 at 10 A.M.  
with representatives from the office of Senator

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Kennedy and Saltonstall to be in charge. The procedure of the coming hearing was discussed, and all persons interested in making oral statements were instructed to notify the Senator's office on or before December 1. Representatives of Blair ~~Conservation~~ <sup>Conservation</sup> ~~Association~~ <sup>Association</sup> stated their report would be completed and copies available on December 8. a meeting to be held at ~~at that time~~.  
The meeting adjourned at 9:40 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town clerk

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Special Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable s.s.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham in the County of Barnstable.

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are hereby directed to warn and notify the inhabitants of said town qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to meet at the Town Hall on Tuesday the Eighth day of December at 8:00 o'clock in the evening then and there to act on the following Article in the warrant.

Article 1. To hear the report of the survey made by Blair Associates Concerning the National Park, (so-called) and take any action relative thereto.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the Post-office in North Eastham, and at the Post-office in Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this Thirtieth day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty Nine.

Maurice W. Riley  
Luther P. Smith  
Prince H. Hurd Jr.  
Board of Selectmen

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## Minutes Special Town Meeting Dec. 8, 1959

The special town meeting was called to order at 8:00 by the Town Clerk. In the absence of the Moderator, Fred LaBana Jr., Mr. Winfred J. Knowles was elected to act as Moderator for the town meeting. There being a quorum present, the call of the meeting was read and Charles F. Otterod Jr. and Nathan A. Hickerson Jr. were appointed to act as tellers. They were duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

The Blair Associates who had conducted an economic survey in the town presented their report.

Article 1 Voted: to accept the Blair report as written.  
Unanimous Vote.

The minutes of the meeting were read.

The meeting adjourned at 9:20 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk.

Jan. 15

Eastham, Mass.

January 15, 1960

Town of Eastham  
Board of Selectmen  
Gentlemen:

It is with regret that I must resign as a member of the Board of Appeals, Town of Eastham.

It has been a privilege to serve and to be associated with the members of this very worthwhile Committee.

Sincerely,  
Clyde L. Benson

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Annual Town Meeting Warrant Feb. 15, 1960  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss.

To Henry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to warn and notify the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections and Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the Fifteenth (15) day of February next at 7:00 o'clock in the evening, then and there to act on the following Articles in this Warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall at 10:00 o'clock in the morning on Tuesday the Sixteenth (16) day of February next, then and there to elect all necessary officers.

Polls to open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6 P.M.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to have a blackboard at the front of the hall, showing the effect on the tax rate of the various Articles in the Warrant, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept Chapter 493 of the Acts of 1959, pertaining to County pensions and retirement allowances.

Recommended

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will vote to dispose of its refunded dog tax.

Recommended that the Town place the refunded dog tax as the disposal of the Public Library.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1960, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable in one year and renew any notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 Chapter 44, General Laws.

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Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1960, and to issue a note or notes thereof payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed \$1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a fund in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 500.00

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents (.50) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of \$30.00 for this purpose, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 4,000.00

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans, for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatcher service for year 1960.

Recommended

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Article 10 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 900.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser and the present cruiser to be traded in as credit towards the new one.  
Recommended.

Article 12 To act on the Annual Report including recommendations and reports of the selectmen and other Town officers and see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, sums of money for the same, or take any action relative thereto.  
Dept. Recommendations of Dept.  
Heads & Finance Comm. 1960.

1. Accountant	1,728.00
2. Accountant Expense	250.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1,500.00
4. Appeal Board	500.00
5. Assessors Abstracts	200.00
6. Auditorium Note	3,000.00
7. Building Inspector	1,500.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	1,065.00
11. Custodian	3,224.00
12. Dog Officer	100.00
13. Dutch Elm Disease	150.00
14. Election & Registration	800.00
15. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
16. Fire Dept.	5,225.00
17. Health	800.00
18. Highway - General	1,500.00
19. Insect Pest Control & Poisoning	150.00
20. Inspector of Animals	80.00
21. Insurance	720.00
22. Interest	2,100.00
23. Legal Expense	1,000.00
24. Library	2,000.00
25. Memorial Day	150.00
26. Miscellaneous	1,000.00

27. Office Clerk	1,600.00
28. Old Cemetery	350.00
29. Old Windmill Case & Improvement	700.00
30. Planning Board	300.00
31. Police Dept.	10,000.00
32. Public Amusement & Advertising	500.00
33. Recreation Commission	2,000.00
34. Regional School District	85,772.52
35. Rescue	5,000.00
36. Retirement	1,969.73
37. School	76,260.00
38. School Lunch	800.00
39. School Notes (Addition)	6,000.00
40. Scale of Weights & Measures	120.00
41. Secretary of Finance Committee	50.00
42. Selectmen and Assessor Expense	900.00
43. Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1,500.00
44. Snow	1000.00
45. Soldier & Sailor's Lts	50.00
46. Surety on Bonds	360.00
47. Tax Titles	1,500.00
48. Town Dump	2,000.00
49. Town Landings	5,000.00
50. Town Hall	5,300.00
51. Town Reports	1,000.00
52. Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1,250.00
53. Tree Warden	600.00
54. Veterans' Benefits	3,000.00
55. Vocational Education	2,000.00
56. Welfare Administration	1,000.00
57. Welfare Services	25,000.00
58. Wild Inspectors	300.00
59. Out of State Travel (School)	100.00
60. Conservation Commission	200.00
	\$273,759.25
Less Transfer from Overlay Surplus	5,000.00
	268,759.25

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Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 103, Chapter 4 General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:

	Dep't. Head Recommendation
Moderator	25.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	2750.00
Selectmen (800.00 each)	2400.00
Assessors (1,000.00 each)	3000.00
Board of Health (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	4000.00
	\$10,425.00

Recommended

Article 14. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1959.

Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended \$10.00

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from Available Funds in the Treasury, the sum of \$346.40 for Greenhead Fly Control as authorized by Section 27, Chapter 252 General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the State Treasury.

Recommended

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to repair and improve the present Band Stand or to build a new one, or take any action relative thereto.

By request  
Recommended 200.00 to move to more suitable location.

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Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,100.00, 1800.00 to be used in conjunction with 1800.00 from school funds for a salary of 3,600.00 for a nurse and the other 300.00 to be used for expenses said nurse to be working both as a school and town nurse, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 490.00 to pay the operating charge of five (5) lumens Mercury street lights on the State Highway in front of the Town Hall, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 4800.00 (Four Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars) to be expended by the Planning Board for the preparation of a master plan of the Town of Eastham under the provisions of Section 81D of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury a sum of money to build a new fire station, the present building to be used for town storage or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 20,000.00

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing land at Rock Harbor Creek and Cape Cod Bay which adjoins town owned land, for public use, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended  
2500.00

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Article 23 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) said sum to be used to initiate a program of restoring the old grave stones in the town's cemetery under the direction of the Board of Selectmen, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 24 To see if the town will vote to amend the zoning by-law, as adopted February 18, 1952 by adding the following phrase to paragraph 10, section 11, after the words "25 feet" and provided that said sign or signs are not of the type or style, employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

Article 25 To see if the town will vote to amend the zoning by-law of the town of Eastham adopted February 28, 1952 and as amended February 24, 1953, by striking out under section IX in the paragraph beginning "Description of Permissible Use Area", all words after "area" and substituting therefor: "from the intersection of the westerly side line of Meeting House Road and Route 6, to the Eastham-Wellfleet town line along Route 6 to a depth of 500 feet on the westerly side of the highway taking a depth of 500 feet on the Easterly side of the highway taking or to the westerly side of the old Colony railroad right of way, whichever distance is greater."

Article 26 To see if the town will vote to amend the zoning by-law, as adopted February 18, 1952 and amended February 16, 1959 by adding the following sentence to paragraph 7, section IV "except that no cottage rental unit shall be erected upon any existing lot, as shown on any subdivision or recorded plan, that has been combined with any other such lot for the purpose of creating one lot for subdivision into cottage rental units under the provisions of this section."

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Article 27 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for Chapter 90 highways or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 1,000.00

Article 28 To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, at the post office in both Eastham, and the post office at North Eastham seven days at least before the date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk, at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals the 30<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty.

Maurice W. Riley Chm.

Luther B. Smith

Frederic H. Hurd Jr.

Board of Selectmen.

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Minutes Annual Town Meeting February 15, 1960.

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by the Moderator, Fred G. LaBrosse Jr. The Call and Service of the warrant were read by the Town Clerk, the reading of the Articles being omitted by consent of the meeting. James B. Davis and Walter E. Garin were appointed as tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 1. Voted to have a blackboard at the front of the hall showing the effect on the tax rate of the various articles in the warrant.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 2. Voted to accept Chapter 493 of the Acts of 1959 pertaining to County pension and retirement allowance.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 3. Voted that the Town place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library trustee.

Unanimous voice vote.

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1960, and issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 General Laws.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 5. To see if the Town will Voted to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1960 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than a year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter III, Section 74 General Laws.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 7. Voted to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 8. Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents (50¢) each for wood chucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 7,000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81, Highways work, and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from Available Funds in the Treasury to meet the State share of the work, the reimbursement from the State, to be received upon receipt to unappropriated funds in the treasury.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 900.00 for the purchase of a police cruiser, the present Cruiser to be traded in as a Credit towards the new one.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 11. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for ambulance fire and police dispatcher service for the year 1960.

Unanimous Voice Vote

1960	Voted to accept the Annual Report including recommendations and report of selectmen and other town officers and to raise and appropriate \$279,834.25 for this purpose.	
Article 12		
1	Accountant	1728.00
2	Accountant Expense	250.00
3	Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4	Appeal Board	500.00
5	Assessor's Abstracts	200.00
6	Auditorium Note	3000.00
7	Building Inspector	1500.00
8	Certification of Notes	10.00
9	Christmas Tree	150.00
10	Civilian Defense	1085.00
11	Custodian	3224.66
12	Dog Officer	100.00
13	Dutch Elm Disease	150.00
14	Election & Registration	800.00
15	Finance Committee Expense	25.00
16	Fire Department	5225.00
17	Health	800.00
18	Highway General	3000.00
19	Insect Pest Control & Poisoning	1500.00
20	Inspector of Animals	80.00
21	Insurance	720.00
22	Interest	2100.00
23	Legal Expense	1000.00
24	Library	2000.00
25	Memorial Day	150.00
26	Miscellaneous	1000.00
27	Office Clerk	1600.00
28	Old Cemetery	350.00
29	Old Windmill Care and Improvement	700.00
30	Planning Board	300.00
31	Police Department	10,000.00
32	Public Amusement & Advertising	500.00
33	Recreation Commission	2000.00
34	Regional School District	85772.52
35	Reserve (to be taken from Overlay Surplus)	-5000.00
36	Retirement	1969.73
37	School	76260.00
38	School Lunch	800.00
39	School Notes (addition)	6000.00

40.	Sealer of Weights & Measure	120.00
41	Secretary of Finance Committee	50.00
42	Selectmen & Assessors Expense	900.00
43	Shellfish Protection and Shellfish Propagation	1500.00
44	Snow	1500.00
45	Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
46	Surety on Bonds	360.00
47	Tap Lines	1500.00
48	Town Dumps	2000.00
49	Town Hall	5300.00
50	Town Landings	5000.00
51	Town Reports	1075.00
52	Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1250.00
53	Tree Warden	600.00
54	Veterans Benefits	3000.00
55	Vocational Education	2000.00
56	Welfare Administration to be spent in conjunction with Fed. Funds	1000.00
57	Welfare Services	25000.00
58	Wire Inspections	300.00
59	Out of State Travel (School)	100.00
60.	Conservation Commission	200.00

## Article 13

4 unanimous voice vote

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 10,450.00 for salary and to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by section 108, Chapter 44, General Laws as amended:

Moderator	50.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (800.00 each)	2400.00
Assessors (1000.00 each)	3000.00
Board of Welfare (300.00 each)	900.00
Treas. Coll. Clerk	4000.00
	10,450.00

4 unanimous voice vote

1966

- Article 14. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$247.47 to pay the unpaid bills of 1959.

Unanimous Voice Vote

- Article 15. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$510.00 for the purpose of holding band concerts in the ensuing year.

Unanimous Voice vote

- Article 16. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of \$346.40 for Greenhead fly Control as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws and authorize the treasurer to pay this appropriation into the state treasury.

Unanimous Voice vote.

- Article 17. Voted to indefinitely postpone.

- Article 18. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2100.00, 1800.00 to be used in conjunction with 1800.00 from School funds for a salary of 3600.00 for a nurse, and 300.00 to be used for expenses, said nurse to be working both as a school and town nurse.

Unanimous Voice vote

1960

- Article 19. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 490.00 to pay the operating charge of five (5) luminous mercury street lights on the state highway in front of the town Hall.

Unanimous Voice Vote

- Article 20. Voted to refer this Article to the Planning Board for further study.

Unanimous Voice Vote

- Article 21. Voted to transfer from available funds in the treasury the sum of \$20,000.00 for the purpose of building a new <sup>small</sup> fire station. the present building to be used for town storage, a committee of fire members to be appointed by the fire chief. 87 yes 22 no.

- Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 4,300.00 for the purpose of purchasing land at Rock Harbor Creek and Cape Cod Bay which adjoins town owned land.

Unanimous Voice Vote.

- Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.00 said sum to be used to initiate a program of repairing and restoring the old graves in the town's cemetery, under the Board of Selectmen.

Unanimous Voice Vote

- Article 24. Voted to amend the zoning by-law as adopted February 18, 1952, by adding the following phrase to paragraph 10, section III, after the words "12 square feet" and provided that said signs are not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

Unanimous Voice Vote

1960

- Article 25 Voted: to amend Article 25 by deleting the words "northerly side line of Meeting House Road" and substituting the words "Old Colony Railroad right of way"; and <sup>adding</sup> after the words "northerly side of the highway taking," the words "from the northerly boundary of the Ensign Cemetery so-called."

Unanimous Vote

Voted: to amend the zoning by-law of the Town of Eastham adopted February 18, 1952 And as amended February 24, 1958, by striking out under Section II in the paragraph beginning "descriptive of 'Permissible Use' area" all words after "area"; and substituting therefor "from the intersection of the Old Colony right of way and Route 6 to the Eastham - Wellfleet Town line along Route 6 to a depth of 500 feet on the northerly side of the highway taking from the northerly boundary of the Ensign Cemetery so-called, and a depth of 500 feet on the easterly side of the highway taking or to the northerly side of the Old Colony railroad right of way whichever distance is greater."

98 yrs 4 mo

- Article 26 Voted to amend the zoning by-law as adopted February 18, 1952 and as amended February 16, 1959, by adding the following sentence to paragraph 7, Section IV "Except that no cottage rental unit shall be erected upon any existing lot as shown on any subdivision or recorded plan, that has been combined with any other such lot for the purpose of creating one lot for subdivision into cottage rental units under the provisions of this section."

Unanimous voice vote

1960

- Article 27 Voted to transfer from available funds in the treasury 4000.00 for Chapter 90, Highways Construction on Hemenway Road, 1,000.00 being the Town's share, 2,000.00 the State share and 1,000.00 the County's share; the reimbursement from the State and County to be retained upon receipt to unappropriated available funds in the treasury.

Unanimous Voice Vote

- Article 28 Under this Article, Mr. Edwin Johnson reported for the Committee appointed to investigate the need for traffic signs in the town, stating that certain recommendations had been made by his Committee and the Board of Selectmen and the State has them under consideration. The report was accepted and placed on file.

The meeting adjourned at 11:10 P. M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town ClerkEastham, Mass.  
February 17, 1960Mrs. L. Isabelle Brackett, Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

The following persons have been appointed to the Finance Committee:

James T. Clancy  
Harry Taylor  
Wallace W. WoodworthYours truly  
Fred J. LaRocca Jr.

1960

Annual Election February 15, 1960

The Annual election of Town Officers was held this day in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting being called to order by the presiding election officer, Fred G. LaPrade Jr. at 9:00 A.M.

The following persons having been appointed to act as election officers and tellers were sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk:

Johanna S. Brooks

Henry McOne

Curtis King

Maurice W. Riley

Harvey T. Moore

The ballot box was examined and found to register gear and the Polls declared open at 10:00 A.M.

At 6:10 P.M. the Polls were declared closed.

There were 31 Absentee's ballots cast making a total of 404 cast for the day.

The ballot box registered 404, and the voting list showed a like number of names as having voted.

Following is a result of the voting:

Selectmen, Assessors, Members Board of

Health and Public Welfare

3 years

Luther P. Smith

276 votes

James H. Leach

78 "

John S. Poole Jr.

49 "

Blanks

1

Moderator

1 year

Fred G. LaPrade Jr.

348 votes

Blanks

56

1960

Treasurer, Tax Collector and Town Clerk 3 years

L. Isabelle Brackett

385 votes

Blanks

19 "

Highway Surveyor

1 year

Nathan A. Dickerson

379 votes

Blanks

25 "

Constable

1 year

Harvey T. Moore

382 votes

Blanks

22 "

School Committee (2 years)

Dorcas M. Gill

364 votes

Blanks

40 "

School Committee

3 years

Theodore L. Hicks

334 votes

Blanks

70 "

Trustee Public Library (3 years)

Margaret M. Campbell

373 votes

Blanks

31 "

Planning Board

5 years

Charles H. Deane

108 votes

Edmond C. Milliken

105 "

Maurice A. Moore

169 "

Blanks

22

1960	Recreation Commission	5 years
	M. Louise Campbell	37 votes
	Robert L. Deschamps	1 "
	Louis N. Benner	1 "
	Edward J. Brown	5 "
	LeRoy A. Babbitt	1 "
	Harold Whitmore	1 "
	George Schreck	1 "
	Otto E. Richardson	1 "
	Howard Brewer	3 "
	George Goff	1 "
	George Richardson	1 "
	Velma D. MacPherson	1 "
	Luther P. Smith	1 "
	Geraldine LaPiana	1 "
	Philip E. Schwind	1 "
	Ralph Ormsby	1 "
	Harriet L. Ormsby	1 "
	Blanks	340 "
	There were 396 unused ballots	

As the Town Clerk read the results of the election those who had the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding election officer.

At 6:50 the meeting adjourned, the total number of ballots cast being 404 out of a total of 763.

R 249  
22  
404  
763  
men 367  
women 396  
763

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk.

1960	Selectmen's Appointments for 1960		sum expires 3/1/61
	Jimmy Enmond	Police Officer	
	George Bridgewood	"	3/1/61
	Robert L. Deschamps	"	3/1/61
	Walter E. Jarvis	"	3/1/61
	Harce Moore	Janitor	3/1/61
	Winifred J. Howdies	Chief of Police	3/1/61
	"	Texas Univer	3/1/61
	Darrie Mayo	Social Worker	3/1/61
	Lloyd A. Mayo	Shellfish Constable	3/1/61
	Clarence C. Doughty	Civilian Defense Director	3/1/61
	John Helferty	Fire Chief	3/1/61
	Ralph L. Rogers	Building Inspector	3/1/61
	Laurie A. Baker	Veterans Agent	3/1/61
	Aurora V. King	Registrar	3/1/63
	A. May Dunphy	Town & School Nurse	3/1/61
	Dr. James Leach	Dog Officer & Pound Keeper	3/1/61
	Dr. Fred Moore	Special Agent Board of Health	3/1/61
	Charles P. Escobar	Moth Superintendent	3/1/61
	Earl H. Horton	Town Dump Custodian	3/1/61
	Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Mills	3/1/61
	Stanley M. Walker	Shalbrights & Measure	3/1/61
	Earl Tateosin	Sanitary Inspector	3/1/61
	Louis A. Benner	Conservation Commission	3/1/63
	Ralph Ormsby	Associate Member Board of Appeals	3/1/62
	Catherine DeBelle	"	3/1/62
	Harold B. Jennings	Member	3/1/65
	George F. Crocker	Sanitary Inspector	3/1/61
	Dr. James Leach	Inspector of Commercials	3/1/61
	Harce Moore	Special Police Officer	3/1/64
	Harry H. Lukey	Conservation Commission	3/1/63
	Herbert Haggins	Special Police Officer	3/1/60
	Stephen Buchanan	"	3/1/60
7/1/60	Curtis Chase	Life Guard	8/1/60
6/25/60	Edward Calera	"	7/1/60
7/18/60	Freeman Hatch Jr.	Conservation	3/1/61
7/19/60	William Hoffmann	Harbor Master	3/1/61
7/20/60	Walter E. Jarvis	Assistant Custodian	3/1/61
7/20/60	Clarence Deley	Board of Registrars (Replacing Mrs. McKim)	3/1/61
7/20/60	Carl Horton	Special Police Officer - Dumps	3/1/64
7/1/60	Edwin A. Johnson	Member Board of Appeals	3/1/64

1960

March 22

Finance Committee Meeting, March 9, 1960

Primary purpose of the meeting was to elect a chairman for the ensuing year.

Louise Gogoy was elected chairman by a vote of 6 to 3.

Louise Gogoy  
Chairman

1960 appointments Continued from Page 231

off -	Frank J. LaBianca Jr.	Election Deputy Warden	8/15/61
	R Maurice Lusano	Election Inspector	8/15/61
	D Walter E. Garin	Election Deputy Warden	8/15/61
	D Helen Carson	Election Deputy Clerk	8/15/61
	R Lorna B. Eaton	Election Clerk	8/15/61
	R Alfred Miller	Election Warden	8/15/61
	D Eleanor Ullman	Election Inspector	8/15/61
	D James Clancy	Election Deputy Inspector	8/15/61
	R Esther Turner	Election Deputy	
	Sheela Thompson	Miss Inspector	3/1/61

12/29/60 Charles H. Deane to fill unexpired term of Eugene Jack - 3/1/63 who resigned 12/26/60 See letter

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Presidential Primary  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, ss.

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham  
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in Eastham Town Hall Polls to open at 12 noon and close at 6 P.M.

Tuesday, the Twenty Fifth Day of April, 1960  
at 12 noon for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes to the Primary Office for the Election of candidates of political parties for the following offices:

- 24 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.
- 12 Alternate delegates at large to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.
- 10 Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.
- 10 Alternate Delegates at large to the National Convention of the Republican Party.
- 1 District Delegate to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.
- 2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Democratic Party.
- 3 District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party.
- 2 Alternate District Delegates to the National Convention of the Republican Party.
- District Members of State Committee (one man, one woman) for each political party in the <sup>Cape and Plymouth</sup> Senatorial District.
- Members of the Democratic Town Committee.
- Members of the Republican Town Committee.
- Presidential Preference.

The polls will be open from to

Hereof, fail not, and make return of this warrant with your doings thereon at the time

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and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this  
10 day of April 1960

Maurice W. Wiley chm.  
Luther P. Smith  
Bruce H. Hurd Jr.

A true Copy  
Attest:

Harvey T. Moore  
Constable

April 10, 1960

### Presidential Primaries

April 26, 1960

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the in-  
habitants of the Town of Eastham met at the  
Eastham Town Hall. The warrant calling the  
town meeting was read by the Town Clerk,  
together with the return of the officer who served  
same. Officers appointed and sworn to serve  
at this meeting were: Henry M. Lane, Johnna S. Burke  
and Eunice King

Polls opened at 12<sup>00</sup> noon and closed at  
6<sup>00</sup> P.M. The ballots box stood at 000 at the  
opening. Ballots were cast as follows:

#### Democrats

Delegates at Large to National Convention:	13 votes
Foster Fungoli 812 Longmeadow St., Longmeadow	130 votes
John W. McCormack 726 Columbia Road, Boston	130 votes
John M. Lynch 34 Brooming Rd., Amesbury	13 "
Robert F. Murphy 90 West Brook Rd., Malden	13 "
Joseph D. Ward 29 Allston Place, Fitchburg	13 "
Edward J. McTarnachy 1110 Morton Place, Boston	13 "
Thomas J. Buckley 290 Commonwealth Ave., Boston	13 "
John F. Collins 20 Myrtle St., Boston	13 "

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Joseph Williams Belanger	2 Little Way, Boston	130 votes
John C. Powers	158 M St., Boston	13 "
John F. Thompson	59 Fairway Drive, Ludlow	13 "
Endicott Beddedy	19 Larch Road, Cambridge	13 "
Robert Francis Kennedy	Marchant Ave., Barnstable	13 "
Howard W. Fitzpatrick	100 Maple St., Malden	13 "
Garrett H. Byrne	52 Tacoma St., Boston	13 "
Calumet S. Tyler	924 Tremont St., Boston	13 "
Mary L. Janacca	102 Webster St., Fall River	13 "
John L. Sallensall Jr.	73 Muddles Rd., Brookline	13 "
Betty Jayson	44 Farfax St., Newton	13 "
Stephen T. Chemirco	4 Elm St., Holyoke	13 "
Bernard Solomon	89 Mt. Vernon St., Boston	13 "
Kenneth J. Kelley	275 Washington St., Waverly	13 "
Frank Foster	472 Norfolk St., Boston	13 "
Thomas J. O'Connor Jr.	142 Merrimac Ave., Springfield	13 "

#### Alternate Delegates

William F. Donoghue	217 Commercial St., Weymouth	134 votes
Charles L. Colbates	46 Webster Rd., Lexington	13 "
Mary DePasquale Murray	18 Grant St., Weymouth	13 "
Peter J. P. Jernickiewicz	26 Chestnut St., Wren	13 "
Edward King	21 Birch St., Ludlow	13 "
Joseph A. DeGuglielmo	24 Cambridge St., Cambridge	13 "
Conrad W. Phillips Jr.	30 Spruce and Ave., Springfield	13 "
Anthony M. Sabelli	200 Maple St., Springfield	13 "
Richard Maguire	20 Redfield St., Manchester	13 "
Paul W. Glenness	31 Ballingham Rd., Worcester	13 "
Dan H. Jew Jr.	22 Sherburne Sq., Springfield	13 "
Thomas J. Roman	53 Crafteland St., Brookline	13 "

#### District Delegates

Francis J. Lawlor	203 Clifford St., W. Bedford	31 votes
Edmund Denis	29 Arnold Place	13 "
George C. Casagran	386 Union St.	13 "
Helen L. Buckley	198 Center St., Abington	13 "

#### Alternate Delegates

John B. Hyman Jr.	21 Merrymount Rd.	13 votes
Charles H. McFalls	215 Main St.	Barnstable 13 "

#### Delegate

Charles Rodriguez	417 Union St., W. Bedford	13 votes
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## State Committee

Cape and Plymouth District  
 Joseph H. Beecher High St. Barnstable 80 votes  
 Thomas S. Callahan 15 Newfield St. Plymouth 5 "

Cape and Plymouth District  
 Mary M. Crowley 139 Sileston St. Whitman 13 votes

## Town Committee

## Eastham

James T. Clancy Eastham 13 "  
 Fred G. LaPrairie Jr. Eastham 13 "  
 Currier V. King Eastham 13 "  
 Ronald F. Carlson Eastham 13 "  
 James R. Davis Eastham 13 "  
 Walter C. Janin Eastham 13 "  
 Margaret C. Janin Eastham 13 "  
 Eleanor Ullman 1

## Presidential Preference

John P. Kennedy Lucerne Votes  
 Chester A. Bowler One

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## Republican

## Delegates at Large

Levenett Dalton Tall Smith St. Dorset 630 votes  
 Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. 2754 Ale St. Beverly 59 "  
 Joseph W. Martin Jr. 54 Grove St. No. Attleboro 59 "  
 Thomas A. Pappas 323 Marsh St. Belmont 55 "  
 Ralph R. Bonnell 81 Arlington St. Wrentham 56 "  
 Mary R. Wheeler 17 Westwood Drive Wrentham 55 "  
 Daniel E. McLean 2 Linden Ave. Beverly 55 "  
 Fred Lamson 36 Dodge St. Malden 55 "  
 Frank S. Giles 827 Riverside Drive Methuen 57 "  
 Robert F. Bradford 106 Coolidge Hall Cambridge 57 "

## Alternate Delegates

Lloyd B. Harring 19 Marston Road, Melrose 52 "  
 John A. Wolfe 10 Everett Ave. Wrentham 54 votes  
 George C. Ireland 38 Bay View Road, Melrose 53  
 Georgia D. Hammond 96 Western Ave. Wrentham 52  
 Bruce Crane 45 Main St. Dalton 52  
 Irene K. Zisker 667 Chestnut St. Wrentham 52  
 Richard F. Zeadway 22 West Cedar St. Boston 52  
 Augustus B. Means County Rd. Essex 52 votes  
 Andrew A. Hunter 135 Charles St. Boston 52  
 George L. Sargent Farm St. Dorset 52

## District Delegates from 9th District 52

## Group 1.

Joseph D. Salmer 44 blanks 20 votes  
 Joseph A. Lyria 122 Farm St. Wrentham 17 votes  
 48 blanks 17 votes  
 Wrentham Rd. Oak Bluffs

## Alternate Delegates

Mary P. Strev 48 blanks 16 votes  
 Marion Angell McAlpin 700 Water St. Edgartown 17 votes  
 West Chp. Fairbury 37 blanks

## Delegates

## Group 2

John B. Wheatley 57 blanks 17 votes  
 Raymond Locken 80 Ashland St. Wrentham 17 votes  
 132 Aquidneck St. New Bedford 35 votes  
 61 blanks

## Alternate Delegates

Alice F. Fetsche 59 blanks 5 votes  
 Malcolm T. Curtis Jr. 632 Main St. Wrentham 5 "

## State Committee

Philip M. Boudreau 69 Blanket Rd. Barnstable 54 votes  
 Cape and Plymouth District  
 Alice F. Fetsche 43 votes  
 Maple St. Wrentham 21 blanks

1960

## Town Committee

Maurice A. Moore	Salt Pond Road	59 votes
Eugene S. Jack	Eastham	59 "
Maurice W. Wiley	Eastham	62 "
L. Isabelle Brackett	Eastham	59 "
Luther P. Smith	Eastham	62
Bernice H. Heuch Jr.	Eastham	58
Lillian P. Butterfield	Eastham	56
Edward J. Brown	Eastham	57
Ralph A. Chase	Eastham	61
Harvey T. Moore	Eastham	58
Richard J. Vandermay	Eastham	57
Edmond E. Milliken	Eastham	58

Voting machine stood at 77 at closing of  
Polls that many having voted 13 Democrats  
and 64 Republicans noted.

Attest: L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

april 1960 25 Democrats 372 men  
274 Republicans 400 women  
4730 Enrolled 772

1960

April 28

## Special Town Meeting Warrant

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss.

To Harvey T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you  
are hereby directed to warn and notify the inhabitants  
of said town qualified to vote in elections and town  
affairs to meet at the town hall on Thursday, the Twenty  
Eighth (28) day of April at 8 o'clock in the evening, then and  
there to act on the following articles in this warrant.

Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to accept the amendments of  
the agreement establishing a regional school district  
for the towns of Eastham, Orleans and Wellfleet Massachusetts  
initiated by the regional district school committee on  
April 1, 1960 and providing for the admission of the  
Town of Brewster.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept by gift or purchase  
the land of Haisett Enterprises Inc. a Massachusetts  
Corporation duly enacted by law and having a  
principal place of business at no. 28 Barnstable  
Road Barnstable, (Hyannis) Massachusetts, shown as lots  
85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101,  
such portions of lots 82, 83, 84 and 102, as lie Easterly  
of the Easterly side line of Ocean View Drive, 115  
and 116, Section 4, on the plan of Eastham Land  
Co. see Assessors Map page 44, subject to the  
restriction that said lots shall forever remain  
within the public domain and shall not be sold  
to private individuals, or take any action relative  
thereto.

Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen  
to execute a deed conveying all interests and titles  
of the Town of Eastham in lots no. 1 to 6 inclusive, 9 to 81  
inclusive, such portions of lots nos. 82, 83, 84 and  
102 as lie westerly of the westerly side line of Ocean  
View Drive, 103 to 113 inclusive, and such  
portion of lots no. 114 and 115, as lie westerly of the  
westerly side line of Ocean View Drive, together  
with the fee in the streets and ways lying within

1960 the perimeter of the filed Petitioner's Plan in Land Court Case # 26336, B. Irving Young, petitioner v. c. Freeman Street, Monroe St., Madison St., Jackson St., Columbus Ave., Maple St., Bush St., Warren Ave. and Norfolk Ave., Section 4, on the Plan of Eastham Land Co., see Recessor's Map page 44; and all the right, title and interest in and to a certain parcel of land lying northerly and westerly of the land shown on said filed Petitioner's Plan, and in said Section 4, Eastham Land Company Plan, bounded Easterly by Ocean View Drive, northerly by Atlantic Ave., westerly by Farleigh St. and southerly by the northerly boundary line of said filed Petitioner's Plan and containing Lots Nos. 6 to 9 inclusive 23, 24, 39, 40, 53, 54, 67 109 to 113 inclusive and such portion of Lot No. 114 as lies westerly of the westerly side line of Ocean View Drive; and an undivided portion Easterly of Farleigh Street, together with the fee in Freeman St., Monroe St., Madison St., Jackson St., Columbus Ave. and Warren Ave. adjacent and contiguous to the said delineated Lots and all in said Section 4, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from available funds in the Treasury a sum of money to be spent in conjunction with state funds for work now being done at Rock Harbor Creek or take any action relative thereto.

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law as adopted February 8, 1952, by adding the following phrase to paragraph 10, section III, after the words "twelve square feet" - "and provided that said sign or signs are not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto."

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law of the Town of Eastham adopted February 18, 1952 and as amended February 24, 1958, by striking out under section II <sup>PP</sup> in the paragraph beginning "description of Permissive Use Area" all the words after "area", and substituting therefor "To a depth of 500 feet on the westerly side of Route 6 from the highway taking from the northerly boundary of the Evergreen Cemetery so-called to the Eastham-Bellflet Town line, and on the Easterly side of Route 6 from the intersection of said Route 6 and the Old Colony Railroad right of way to the westerly side of the Old Colony Railroad right of way from said intersection to the Eastham-Bellflet Town line."

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law as adopted February 18, 1952, and as amended February 16, 1959, by adding the following sentence to paragraph 7 section IV "Except that no cottage rental unit shall be erected upon any existing lot as shown on any subdivision or recorded plan, that has been combined with any other such lot for the purpose of creating one lot for subdivision into cottage rental units under the provisions of this section."

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law of the Town of Eastham adopted February 18, 1952 and as amended February 23, 1958 by adding to section V, paragraph 5 as follows:

5. The display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized which shall have a total area of not more than 40 square feet, exclusive of supports therefor, provided that said sign employs only indirect lighting from the ground, with a set back of 15 feet from the nearest street or highway side line shall be authorized and then only upon a permit issued by the building inspector."

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend the Zoning By-Law of the Town of Eastham adopted February 18, 1962, and as amended February 23, 1958 by adding to Section V-A, paragraph 3 as follows:

"3. The display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized which shall have a total area of not more than 40 square feet, excluding supports therefor, provided that said sign employ only incandescent lighting from the ground, with a set back of 15 feet from the nearest street or highway side line shall be authorized and then only upon a permit issued by the Building Inspector."

Article 10. To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before the meeting.

You are directed to serve this warrant by personally attested copies thereof at the post office in Eastham, and at the post office in North Eastham seven days at least before date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty.

Maurice W. Neley chm.  
Luther P. Smith  
Percy H. Hurd Jr.  
Board of Selectmen

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# Special Town Meeting Minutes April 28, 1960

Pursuant to the Conditions of the foregoing warrant the Special Town Meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by the Moderator Fred J. LeBauer Jr. There being a quorum present, the Call of the meeting was read by the Town Clerk. David L. Mead, and Maurice A. Moore were appointed tellers and duly sworn by the Town Clerk. No objections being raised, the reading of the Articles was omitted.

Article 1. Voted: to accept the amendments of the agreement establishing a regional school district for the towns of Eastham, Orleans, and Wellfleet, Mass., initiated by the regional district school committee on April 1, 1960 and proceeding for the admission of the Town of Brewster.

Unanimous vote

Article 2. Voted: to accept by gift, the land of Haines Enterprises Inc., a Massachusetts corporation duly enacted by law and having a principal place of business at no. 22 Barnstable Road, Barnstable, (Hyannis) Massachusetts shown as Lots 115 and 116, Section 4, on the Plan of Eastham Land Co., see Record's Map page 4A and Lot 2 as shown on the filed petitioner's Plan in Land Court Case No. 26336, B. Loring Young, petitioner, and situated East of Ocean Drive, subject to the restriction that said lots shall forever remain within the public domain and shall not be sold to private individuals.

Unanimous vote

Article 3 Voted: that the Selectmen be authorized to execute deed conveying all interests and titles of the Town of Eastham in that portion of Lot 11 shown on the filed petitioner's plan in Land Court Case #26336, B. Loring Young petitioner situated Easterly of Farleigh St., and bounded and described as follows:

1960 Easterly by the westerly sideline of Ocean View Drive 445.29 feet;

Southerly by lands now or formerly of Florence A. Cole and B. Loung Young, 2087.61 feet;

Southwesterly by land now or formerly of said B. Loung Young 292.37 feet;

Southerly again by land now or formerly of said B. Loung Young;

Southerly again by Farleigh St.

Northwesterly by land now or formerly of Ladd and Tucker; and Northwesterly again and northerly by

Freeman St, land now or formerly of Wampatuck Realty Co., Monroe St, Madison St, land now or formerly of Frank T. Ware, land now or formerly of Chase and Hodgins, Jackson St, land now or formerly of Charles W. Jenkins Columbus Ave., land now or formerly of Arnold C. Derlin, land now or formerly of Wampatuck Realty Co., Warren Ave. said land now or formerly of J. R. McCreedy, 1922.30 feet.

And any and all right, title and interest in and to the following described parcel of land lying northerly of the last described parcel, and further bounded and described as follows:

Easterly by the westerly of Ocean View Drive, northerly by Atlantic Avenue,

Westerly by Farleigh St. and

Southerly by the northerly boundary line of said filed petitioner's plan;

together with that portion of the fee in Freeman, Monroe, Madison and Jackson streets, and Columbus and Warren Ave within the aforesaid described area

Unanimous Vote

Article 4 Voted: to transfer from available funds, in the Treasury, the sum of 2,000.00 to be spent in conjunction with state funds for work now being done at Rock Harbor Creek.

Unanimous Vote.

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Article 5

Voted: to amend the zoning by-law as adopted February 18, 1952, by adding the following phrase to paragraph 10, Section III after the words "12 square feet," and provided that said sign or signs be not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

Unanimous vote

Article 6.

Voted to amend the zoning by-law of the Town of Eastham adopted February 18, 1952, and as amended February 24, 1958 by striking out under Section II P.P.D. in the paragraph beginning "Description of Permissive Use Area:" all the words after "area" and substituting therefor "to a depth of 500 feet on the westerly side of Route 6 from the highway taken from the northerly boundary of the Evergreen Cemetery so-called to the Eastham-Mellfield Town line, and on the Easterly side of Route 6 from the intersection of said Route 6 and the Old Colony Railroad right of way to the westerly side of the Old Colony Railroad right of way from said intersection to the Eastham-Mellfield Town line."

Unanimous vote

Article 7

Voted to amend the zoning by-law as adopted February 18, 1952 and as amended February 16, 1959 by adding the following sentence to paragraph 7, Section IV, "Except that no Cottage rental unit shall be erected upon any existing lot as shown on any subdivision or recorded plan that has been combined with any other such lot for the purpose of creating one lot for a subdivision into Cottage rental units under the provisions of this section."

Unanimous vote

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Article 8 Voted to Amend Article 8 as follows:

To strike out all words following "5. and substitute the following words therefor:

"The display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized which shall be a free standing sign and may have a base not exceeding 3 feet in height above road grade and shall not exceed 10 feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of 40 sq. feet, or if reading from only one side shall not exceed 20 sq. feet, exclusive of supports therefor; backing and supports of masonry or other material shall present an area to the reading side of not more than 80% of the reading sign area, provided further that such sign employ only indirect lighting from the ground and a set back of 15 feet from the nearest street or highway side line shall be authorized. Signs on a commercial building may read only from one side and shall have no more than 40 square feet total area. A sign displayed under this paragraph shall then be allowed only upon a permit issued by the Building Inspector."

Unanimous Vote

Voted: To amend the zoning By-law of the town of Cartham adopted February 18, 1952 and as amended February 23, 1953, by adding to Section I, Paragraph 3 as follows:

"5. The display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized which shall be a free standing sign and may have a base not exceeding 3 feet in height above road grade and shall not exceed 10 feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of 40 square feet, or if reading from

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only one side shall not exceed 20 square feet exclusive of supports therefor, backing and supports of masonry or other materials shall present an area to the reading side of not more than 80% of the reading sign area provided further that such sign employ only indirect lighting from the ground with a set back of 15 feet from the nearest street or highway side line shall be authorized. Signs on a commercial building may read only from one side and shall have no more than 40 square feet total area. A sign displayed under this paragraph shall then be allowed only upon a permit issued by the Building Inspector."

Yes 34 No 5

Article 9.

Voted to Amend Article 9 as follows: To strike out all words after the words "herein above authorized which shall," and substitute therefor the following words: "be a free standing sign and may have a base not exceeding 3 feet in height above road grade, and shall not exceed 10 feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of 40 square feet or if reading from only one side shall not exceed 20 square feet exclusive of supports therefor backing and supports of masonry or other materials shall present an area to the reading side of not more than 80% of the reading sign area, provided that said sign employ only indirect lighting from the ground, with a set back of 15 feet from the nearest street or highway side line shall be authorized and then only upon a permit issued by the Building Inspector."

Vote Yes 33  
No 3

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Article 9 <sup>continued</sup>

Voted: to amend the zoning By-Law of the Town of Eastham adopted February 18, 1952 and as amended February 23, 1958 by adding to section V-A paragraph 3 as follows:

The display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized which shall be a free standing sign and may have a base not exceeding 3 feet in height above road grade and shall not exceed 10 feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of 40 square feet, or if reading from only one side shall not exceed 20 square feet exclusive of supports therefor, backing and supports of masonry or other materials shall present an area to the reading side of not more than 80% of the reading sign area provided that said sign employ only indirect lighting from the ground with a set back of 15 feet from the nearest street or highway side line, shall be authorized, and then only upon a permit issued by the Building Inspector.

Vote Yes 33  
No 3

Article 10 Voted: that the Town instruct the Planning Board to study Articles 8 and 9 of the April 28, 1960 Special Town Meeting Warrant pertaining to Signs and report thereon with such changes as may be necessary, at the next town meeting.

Unanimous Vote.

Voted: to dispense with the reading of the minutes  
Unanimous Vote.

There being no further business to come before the meeting adjournment was noted at 10:15 P.M.

Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

State Primary Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, ss.

To the Constable of the Town of Eastham  
Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Eastham Town Hall Tuesday, the Thirtieth (13<sup>th</sup>) Day of September, 1960 at 12 O'clock A.M. for the following purposes:

To bring their votes for the Primary Officers for the nomination of candidates of political parties for the following offices:  
Squatin Longue For this Commonwealth

Governor	..
Lieutenant Governor	..
Secretary of the Commonwealth	..
Attorney General	..
Treasurer & Receiver General	..
Auditor of the Commonwealth	..
Representative in Congress	9 <sup>th</sup> Congressional District
Councillor	1 <sup>st</sup> Councillor
Senator	Cape & Plymouth

Representative in General Court	2 <sup>nd</sup> Barnstable
Register of Probate & Insolvency	Barnstable County
County Commissioners (2)	..
County Treasurer	..

The polls will be open from 12:00 noon till 6<sup>30</sup> P.M.  
Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of said meeting.

Given under our hands, this First day of September AD 1960

Maurice R. Wiley Chm.  
Luther P. Smith  
Premier H. Hurd Jr.  
Board of Selectmen  
Town of Eastham

State Primary Sept. 13, 1960

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Eastham met in the Eastham Town Hall. The warrant calling the meeting was read by the Town Clerk together with the return of the officer who served the same. Officers appointed and sworn to serve at this meeting were:

James T. Clancy	Election Deputy Inspector
Maurice Luvano	Election Inspector
Lona B. Horton	Election clerk
Helen Canon	Election Deputy clerk
Walter C. Garin	Deputy Election Warden
Alfred Mills	Election Warden
Charles Ullman	Deputy Inspector
Esther Turner	Deputy Inspector

The Polls opened at 12<sup>00</sup> noon and closed at 6:30 P.M. The ballot box stood at 000 at the opening.

Ballots were cast as follows

Republican Party	
Senator in Congress	
Lemmette Saltanstell received	196 votes
Blanks	16

Governor	
John A. Volpe	201

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## Lieutenant Governor

Augustus Meane received 198 votes  
 Blanks 14

## Secretary

Edward W. Brooke .. 194 ..  
 Blanks 18 ..

## Attorney General

George Michaels .. 161 ..  
 Blanks 21

## Treasurer

Walter J. Trybulski received 126 votes  
 Francis Andrew Walsh .. 60  
 Blanks 26

## Auditor

Gardner B. Wardwell .. 189 ..  
 Blanks 23 ..

Congressman 9<sup>th</sup> District

Hastings Keith 191  
 Blanks 21

Councillor 1<sup>st</sup> District

William C. Hall .. 137 ..  
 Wallace J. Wilbur .. 43 ..  
 Blanks 32 ..

## Senator

## Cape &amp; Plymouth District

Edward C. Stone .. 179 ..  
 Joseph L. Herricks 23 ..  
 Blanks 10

## Representative in General Court

Harry B. Allen .. 85  
 Charles E. Doughty .. 125 ..  
 Blanks 2 ..

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Register of Probate & Insolvency  
Barnstable County

Alfred C. Knight received 186 votes  
 Blanks 26 ..

County Commissioners  
Barnstable County

H. Heyworth Backus received 111 votes  
 William J. Lockhart .. 64 ..  
 Nathaniel Ellis .. 105 ..  
 Anthony P. Taneis .. 71 ..  
 73

## County Treasurer

Bruce Gerould 193  
 Blanks 19

Polls closed at 6:30 P. M. Total number of  
 votes cast The

## Democrat

## Senator in Congress

Foster Furcolo received 15 votes  
 Edmund C. Buckley Young Clerk 5 ..  
 Thomas J. O'Connor Jr. 15 ..  
 Blanks 1 ..

## Governor

Joseph D. Ward .. 31 ..  
 Frances E. Kelly .. 1 ..  
 John F. Kennedy .. 1 ..  
 Alfred Magaletta .. 1 ..  
 Robert F. Murphy .. 2 ..  
 Endicott Peabody ..  
 Gabriel Francis Remonte ..  
 Blanks

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## Lieutenant Governor

Edward F. McLaughlin Jr.	received	33 votes
Pasquale Caggiano	..	2
Blanks	..	1

## Secretary

Herin H. White	received	22 votes
Francis X. Cheam	..	3
Margaret F. McGowan	..	7
Blanks	..	4

## Attorney General

Edward J. McCormack	33
Blanks	3

## Treasurer

John Thomas Driscoll	received	22 votes
George F. Hurley	..	1
John B. Kennedy	..	7
John M. Kennedy	..	2
Patrick J. Donough	..	2
Robert J. Sullivan	..	2
Blanks	..	

## Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	received	32 votes
John F. Hyman	..	1
Blanks	..	3

Congressman 9<sup>th</sup> District

John Almeida	received	4 votes
Edward F. Harrington	..	12
Robert W. MacDonald	..	16
William McCuliffe	..	1
Blanks	..	3

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Councillor 1<sup>st</sup> District

Ernest C. Stasiun	received	18 votes
Antone Almeida	..	3
Joseph P. Clark	..	2
Harold C. Hagle	..	4
John B. Jones	..	2
Leo P. Soars	..	1
Blanks	..	6

## Senator Cape &amp; Plymouth District

Walter J. Borsung	7
George Curcio	6
Maurice M. Goldman	19
Blanks	4

Representative in General Court  
2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable District

## Register of Probate &amp; Insolvency

Blanks	36
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## County Commissioners

Robert P. O'hell	7 votes
James Chaney	1 vote
Blanks	6

## County Treasurer

Blanks	36
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These persons serving as Election Officers were appointed to act as tellers for the counting of the ballots.

There were 624 unused Republican Ballots and 3524 unused Democrat.

The Polls closed at 6:30 P. M. Total numbers of votes Cast 248. 36 Democrats. The ballot box stood at closing.

248

Democrats	31	men 388
Republicans	284	men 414
Unrecorded	487	
Total	802	

L. Isabelle Brachett  
Town Clerk

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Warrant for Presidential Election  
Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Barnstable ss

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of  
Eastham in the County of Barnstable.

Greetings:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass-  
achusetts you are hereby directed to warn  
and notify the inhabitants of said Town  
qualified to vote in elections to meet in the  
Town Hall in said Eastham on Tuesday  
the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November next at 10 o'clock in  
the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in their votes for  
Presidential and Vice Presidential Electors  
Governor For this Commonwealth

Lt. Governor

Secretary

Treasurer

Auditor

Attorney General

Representative in Congress for the Ninth District

Councillor " the First

Senator " the Cape &amp; Plymouth

Representative in General Court for 2<sup>nd</sup> Barnstable

Clerk of Courts for Barnstable County

(2) County Commissioners for

County Treasurer

Question #1

- A. Shall license be granted for this town  
for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages  
(whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines  
and all other alcoholic beverages.)
- B. Shall license be granted in this town for the  
sale therein of wines and malt beverages  
(wines, beer, ale, and all other malt beverages.)
- C. Shall license be granted in this town  
for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages

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in packages so-called, not to be drunk on the  
premises?

Question #2

Shall an act passed by the General Court  
in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-nine  
entitled "An Act increasing the amount of money  
which the county Commissioners of Barnstable  
County may expend in any one year for the  
purpose of promoting the recreational advantages  
of said county from fifty thousand to  
seventy-five thousand" be accepted?

And you are directed to serve this warrant  
by depositing attested copies thereof, in the post office  
in Eastham and in the post office in No. Eastham  
seven days at least before time of holding  
said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of  
this warrant with your doings thereon, to the  
Town Clerk at the time and place of holding  
said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return  
of this

Given under our hands and seals  
this 11 day of October in the year one  
thousand nine hundred and sixty.

Polls to open at 10 A M and may close at  
6:30 P. M.

Maurice W. Wiley Chron.  
Luther P. Smith  
Prince H. Hurd Jr.  
Selectmen of Eastham

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## Presidential Election November 8, 1960

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the qualified voters of Eastham met in the Eastham Town Hall, for purpose stated. Election officers appointed were Alfred Mills, Warden, Walter Janin Deputy Warden, James Chaney <sup>Election Inspector</sup> Anna Horton Election Clerk, Maurice Turano Election Inspector Helen Carson, Election Deputy Clerk, Esther Turner Deputy Inspector, Eleanor Ullman Deputy Inspector George Duffy, Jr., Stanley E. Horton, Robert J. Whitney, Bertha Berneault, Pauline LaPrade and Christine Young were appointed as tellers and duly sworn to their duties.

The polls opened at 10 00 A.M. and closed at 6:30 P.M.

Following is the results of the voting:

President and Vice President	had	votes
Decker and Munn	..	..
Hass and Coggini	..	..
Kennedy and Johnson	..	158 ..
Nixon and Lodge	..	61 ..
Blanks	..	5 ..

## Senator in Congress

Lesett Chilton Hall	..	659 ..
Thomas J. O'Connor Jr.	..	110 ..
Lawrence J. Fiedler	..	1 ..
Mark R. Shaw	..	..
Blanks	..	12 ..

## Governor

John A. Volpe	..	631 ..
Joseph D. Ward	..	139 ..
Henning A. Blomen	..	..
Guy S. Williams	..	2 ..
Blanks	..	10 ..

## Secretary

Edward W. Brown	..	631 ..
Merine H. White	..	120 ..
Fred M. Ingersoll	..	2 ..
Julia B. Gohler	..	2 ..
Blanks	..	27 ..

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## Lieutenant Governor

Edward F. McLaughlin Jr.	had	160 votes
Augustus Meane	..	598 ..
Thomas Macata	..	4 ..
Francis A. Votano	..	..
Blanks	..	20 ..

## Attorney General

Edward J. McCormack Jr.	..	202 ..
George Richards	..	551 ..
August O. Johnson	..	3 ..
William D. Ross	..	1 ..
Blanks	..	25 ..

## Treasurer

John T. Driscoll	..	166 ..
Walter J. Trybicki	..	582 ..
Harlan C. Carberg	..	3 ..
Domenico A. D'Agostino	..	..
Blanks	..	37 ..

## Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	..	279 ..
Gardner B. Brandwell	..	475 ..
John B. Lander	..	2 ..
Rene A. Latell	..	2 ..
Blanks	..	24 ..

## Congressmen

Hastings Keith	..	624 ..
Edward F. Harrington	..	136 ..
Blanks	..	22 ..

## Councilors

Ernest C. Haslam	..	168 ..
William E. Hall	..	569 ..
Blanks	..	45 ..

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Senators

Edward C. Stone	had	672	votes
Walter J. Borunwig	"	88	"
Blanks	"	22	"

Rep. in General Court

Harry Allers	"	705	"
Blanks	"	77	"

Register of Probate and Insolvency

Alfred C. Knight	"	700	"
Blanks	"	82	"

County Commissioners

H. Heyworth Backus	"	619	"
Nathan Ellis	"	460	"
Blanks	"	485	"

County Treasurer Bruce Jeneault

Blanks	"	709	"
	"	73	"

The ballot box stood at 000 at the opening  
at 10 A.M.

Ball closed at 6:30 P.M. The ballot box  
stood at 782 there having been that number  
of votes cast out of a possible 845, that number  
being required to vote (689 - 93 absentee)

Democrats Men 20

Women 29

Republicans Men 161

Women 188

Unenrolled 210

Total 845

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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A.

Question #1

shall license be granted for this town for the sale  
therein of all alcoholic beverages, whiskey, rum,  
gin, malt beverages, wines and all other alcoholic  
beverages?

yes 284

no 467

Blanks 91

B.

shall license be granted in this town for the  
sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines  
beer, ale, and all other malt beverages)

yes 270

no 387

Blanks 125

C.

shall license be granted in this town for  
the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages  
in packages so-called not to be drunk  
on the premises

yes 357

no 343

Blanks 12

Question #2

shall an act passed by the  
General Court in the year nineteen hundred  
and fifty nine entitled "An Act increasing  
the amount of money which the County  
Commissioners of Barnstable County may expend  
in any one year for the purposes of developing  
or promoting the recreational advantages  
of said County from fifty thousand to  
seventy five thousand" be accepted?

yes 314

no 335

Blanks 133

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December 8, 1960

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

Please accept this as my  
resignation from the Board of Trustees of the  
Eastham Library.

The year I have spent on the  
board has been most rewarding and  
interesting but I don't feel that I have  
the time to devote to it that it should have.

Sincerely  
Margaret J. Campbell

December 26, 1960

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk of Eastham  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

I regret to inform you that it is neces-  
sary for me to resign from my position as  
member of the Eastham Planning Board, to which  
I was elected in 1958.

This becomes necessary because I am unable  
to devote the time necessary to the duties of a  
member of the Planning Board.

Please make this resignation effective as of  
December 26, 1960.

I certainly appreciated the honor of serving  
as a member of the Planning Board since February  
1953.

Yours very truly,  
Eugene S. Jack

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Annual Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
(Including Finance Committee Recommendations)  
Barnstable, ss.

To Hurray T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham  
in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Mass-  
achusetts you are hereby directed to notify  
and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qual-  
ified to vote in elections and Town affairs, to  
meet at the Town Hall on Monday, the Twentieth  
(20<sup>th</sup>) day of February next at 7:00 o'clock in  
the evening, then and there to act on the  
following articles in this warrant and to meet  
in the Town Hall at 10:00 o'clock in the morning  
on Tuesday, the Twenty-First (21) day of February  
next, then and there to elect all necessary  
officers.

Rolls To Open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6:00 P.M.  
Article 1. To see if the Town will vote to have a black-  
board at the front of the hall, showing the  
effect on the tax rate of the various  
articles in the warrant, or take any  
action relative thereto.

No recommendation required

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to accept  
Chapter 647, of the Acts of 1960, pertaining to  
County pensions and retirement allowances.

Article 3. To see in what manner the Town will  
vote to dispose of its refunded dog tax.  
Recommended that the refunded dog tax be placed in the dog tax  
fund.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to authorize  
the Treasurer with the approval of the selectmen  
to borrow money from time to time in anticipa-  
tion of the revenue of the financial year  
beginning January 1, 1961, and issue a note  
or notes before payable in one year and  
renew any note or notes as may be given for

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a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.  
Recommended

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1961, and to issue a note or notes therefore payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.  
Recommended

Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money, not to exceed \$1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter 111, Section 74, General Laws, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended \$500.00

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to sell property taken under tax title procedure by the Town and raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to pay a bounty of fifty cents (50 cents) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year and raise and appropriate the sum of \$30.00 for this purpose or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended.

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Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for Chapter 81 Highways, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$900.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser, and the present cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.  
Recommended.

Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire and Police Dispatcher service for the year 1961.  
Recommended.

Article 12. To act on the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other Town officers, and see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

1. Accountant
2. Accountant Expense
3. Ambulance Hire
4. Appeal Board
5. Assessors Abstracts
6. Auditorium Note
7. Building Inspector
8. Certification of Notes
9. Christmas Tree

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10. Civilian Defense
11. Conservation Commission
12. Custodian
13. Dog Office Account
14. Dutch Elm Disease
15. Election & Registration
16. Finance Committee Expense
17. Fire Dept.
18. Health
19. Highways - General
20. Insect Pest and Poisoning Control
21. Inspector of Animals
22. Insurance
23. Interest
24. Legal Expense
25. Library
26. Memorial Day
27. Miscellaneous
28. Office Clerk
29. Old Cemeteries
30. Old Windmill Care & Improvement
31. Planning Board
32. Police Department
33. Public Amusement & Advertising
34. Recreation Commission
35. Regional School District
36. Rescue
37. Retirement
38. School
39. School - Out of State Travel
40. School Lunch
41. School Notes (Addition)
42. Sealer of Weights & Measures
43. Secretary of Finance Committee
44. Selectmen & Assessors Expense
45. Shellfish Protection & Propagation
46. Snow
47. Soldiers & Sailor's Lots
48. Surety on Bonds
49. Tap Lines

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51. Town Hall
52. Town Landings
53. Town Reports
54. Treasurer, Collector, Clerk Expense
55. Tree Warden
56. Veterans Benefits
57. Vocational Education
58. Welfare Administration
59. Welfare Service
60. Wire Inspections

Article 13 To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108, Chapter 44, General Laws, as amended, and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary:

Moderator	50.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (1000.00 each)	3000.00
Assessors (1000.00 each)	3000.00
Board of Welfare (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	4100.00

Recommended

Article 14 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1960.

Recommended

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Article 15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended 450.<sup>00</sup>

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from available funds in the Treasury, the sum of 346.40 for fees head Fly Control, as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the State Treasury.  
Recommended

Article 17. To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapters 516, and 524, Acts of 1950, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidewaters, foreshores and shores along a public beach outside of Boston Harbor including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.  
No recommendation required

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Article 18. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,400.00, \$900.00 to be used in conjunction with \$900.00 from school funds for a salary of \$3,800.00 for a nurse, and the other \$500.00 to be used for expenses, said nurse to be working, both as a School & Town nurse, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 19. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$490.00 to pay the operating charge of five (5) lumens mercury street lights on the State Highway in front of the Town Hall, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended

Article 20. To see if the Town will vote to accept the following by-law: "No member of the Planning Board and/or the Board of Appeals, employed by or representing an applicant before said Board shall have a vote on any decision directly concerning his client."  
No recommendation required

Article 21. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing an addition to the Public Library, or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended 12,500.00

Article 22. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing land at Boat Meadow Creek, and Cape Cod Bay which adjoin Town owned land, for public use

1961 and authorize the Selectmen to take any action relative thereto.

Recommended 2000.00

Article 23. To see if the Town will vote to amend paragraph one of Article Eleven of the building Code by deleting the word "public" so that paragraph one shall read: "the building lines of structure for human habitation shall not be nearer to the nearest boundary of any way than 3 feet nor nearer to the interior side and rear lot lines than 25 feet, and if on land of single ownership they shall not be nearer to each other than 50 feet. The building lines of structures which are necessary to wood framed structures for human habitation shall not be nearer to side and rear lot lines than 12 feet, nor nearer to the nearest boundary of any way than 30 feet."

No recommendation required.

Article 24. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by creating paragraphs d<sup>9</sup> & e under the section entitled Definitions; said paragraphs to read as follows:

d. Signs shall mean all advertising devices or signs whether lettered or not, designed to promote a business, the sale of a product or of a service.

e. The area of a sign shall be determined by the multiplication of the width and height including border or moulding without deduction for open spaces or other irregularities.

No recommendation required.

Article 25. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law, so that paragraph 10 of section 11 reads as follows:

The display of not more than two double faced signs on resident occupants

1961. property which shall pertain to the occupation of said occupant or to use of such property as herein above authorized which shall have a total area of not more than 12 sq. ft. and provided that said sign or signs are not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

No recommendation required.

25. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by adding the following paragraph to section IV which shall be called paragraph 8:

the display of not more than two double faced signs on resident occupants property which shall pertain to the occupation of said occupant or to use of such property as herein above authorized which shall have a total area of not more than 12 sq. ft. and provided that said sign or signs are not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

No recommendation required.

27. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by deleting paragraph 5, section V after the word "thereof" and substitute the following so that paragraph 5 shall read:

the display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized. said sign shall be free standing and may have a base not exceeding 3 feet in height above road grade, and shall not have a dimension exceeding 10 feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of 40 square feet or if reading from one side only shall not exceed 20 square feet, exclusive of supports therefore. A setback of fifteen feet from the nearest street or highway sideline shall be required. Signs on a commercial building

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may read from one side only and shall have no more than 40 square feet total area. Illuminated signs shall not have any glare distracting to drivers nor shall there be any exposed neon or gas filled type signs or illumination in colors that will conflict with the ability to readily see traffic lights or cause any hazardous condition therefrom and there shall be no flashing rotating or oscillating supplementary lighting. Gasoline stations and garages will be allowed the standard permanent oil company signs in addition to the name sign plus the customary lubrication, washing and service signs displayed in the positions to which they apply. No recommendation required.

Article 28. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by deleting paragraph 3 Section 1A after the word "therein" and to substitute the following so that paragraph 3 shall read:

The display of not more than one sign which shall pertain to the use of such property as herein above authorized. Said sign shall be free standing and may have a base not exceeding 3 feet in height above road grade and shall not have a dimension exceeding 10 feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of 40 square feet or if reading from one side only shall not exceed 20 square feet exclusive of supports therefor. A setback of fifteen feet from the nearest street or highway median shall be required. Signs on a commercial building may read from one side only and shall have no more than 40 square feet, total area. Illuminated signs shall not have any glare distracting to drivers nor shall there be any exposed neon or gas filled type signs or illumin-

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Article 29. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by extending commercial district C (as shown on the official zoning map dated February 14, 1952) on both sides of Route 6 to a depth of five hundred feet, southerly to the center of the drainage ditch which separates the properties of Obed Fulcher, Clayton Horton and Mary A. Chase.

By request

No recommendation required

Article 30. To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning by-law by extending Commercial District C (as shown on the official zoning map dated February 14, 1952) on both sides of Route 6 to a depth of five hundred feet, southerly to Governor Pierce Road.

By request

No recommendation required

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Article 31 To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept as a gift, acquire by purchase, or take by eminent domain in behalf of the Town, for the purposes of recreation area and playground, all or any part of the beach, salt marsh, dunes and upland not now owned by the Town, and excluding from the same such title as may be vested in the Commonwealth of Mass., and bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by land of the Town of Eastham and land of the United States of America, 500 feet, more or less.

Easterly by the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean, 12,000 feet, more or less.

Southerly by the waters of Hawsit Inlet; and Westerly by the Easterly boundary line of Parcel #2 as shown on a plan hereinafter mentioned, said boundary line being the Easterly mean high water line of the Hawsit Marshes, so-called.

Containing an area of 30,000 acres more or less.

The above described premises are more particularly shown as Parcel #1 on a plan entitled:

"Plan of Beachland and Marsh in Eastham Massachusetts, made for the Town of Eastham Scale 1 inch equals 400 feet, Oct. 1960

Nickerson and Berger, Civil Engineers, Orleans Mass."

And to raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor and to authorize the Selectmen to take all necessary action relative thereto.

Article 32. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to accept as a gift, acquire by purchase, or take by eminent domain in behalf of the Town for the purposes

1961. of the maintenance of the tidal marshes and estuaries as reservations for the preservation of their natural beauty and the protection of the fish, shellfish and other wildlife therein, all or any part of the salt marsh and flats, not now owned by the Town, and excluding from the same, such title as may be vested in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and described as follows:

All the salt marshes and flats situated northerly of the Orleans-Eastham town line below the mean high water line along adjoining upland in the areas known as Hawsit Inlet, Hawsit Marshes, Hawsit Bay, Salt Pond Bay, Salt Pond River, Salt Pond, Christian Creek and Hemenway Channel. Containing an area of 1100 acres, more or less.

The above described premises are more particularly shown as Parcel #2 on a plan entitled: "Plan of Beachland and Marsh in Eastham Mass. made for the Town of Eastham, Scale equal 1 inch equals 400 feet, Oct. 1960, Nickerson and Berger, Civil Engineers, Orleans, Mass."

No recommendation required.

Article 33 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 5000.00 for the purpose of furthering improvements at Rock Harbor, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 34 To see if the Town will vote to appropriate from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$450.00 for the purpose of having Old Town Records microfilmed or take any action relative thereto.

Article 35 To see if the Town will vote to transfer the sums of money in the following accounts to the Excess & Deficiency Account:

Park #4 Bathing Beach	336.14
Downe Road to Cable Road	40.00

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Hansen Road Layout

144.50

Article 36 To see if the Town will vote to terminate the lease on a parcel of land between Fred G. LaPrairie and the Town of Eastham, which was accepted under Article 21 of the Annual Town Meeting held on February 20, 1956 and that a note of thanks be extended to the LaPrairie family for the use of the land.  
Recommended

Article 37 To hear the reports of committees and do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

No recommendations requested.

You are directed to serve this warrant by placing attested copies thereof at the Post-office in No. Eastham and the Post-office in Eastham seven days at least before the date of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this Thirty First day of January, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty One.

Maurice W. Wiley Chm.  
Luther C. Smith  
Rural H. Hurd Jr.  
Board of Selectmen

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Minutes of Annual Town Meeting February 20, 1961

Pursuant to the provisions of the foregoing warrant the voters assembled in the Eastham Auditorium and, there being a quorum, the meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. Charles F. Steward Jr. & Earl H. Weston were appointed to act as tellers and were duly sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk.

The Call and series of the meeting were read by the Town Clerk, and no objections being raised, the reading of the Articles in the Warrant was omitted.

Article I Indefinitely postponed.

Article II Voted to accept Chapter 647 of the Acts of 1960 pertaining to County pensions and retirement allowances.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 3. Voted to place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 4. Voted to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1961 and issue a note or notes therefore, payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1961 and to issue a note or notes therefore payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year.

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in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 74.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 500.<sup>00</sup> for the establishment and maintenance of a fire bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis Mass. In the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment in accordance with Chapter III, Section 74, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 7. Voted to authorize the selectmen to sell property taken under Tax Title procedure by the town, and raise and appropriate the sum of 50 for this purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 8. Voted to pay a bounty of fifty cents (50¢) each for woodchucks killed within its boundaries during the ensuing year, and to raise and appropriate the sum of 30.00 for this purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 4,000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81, Highways work, and that in addition the sum of 11,000.00 be transferred from Available Funds in the Treasury to meet the State's share of the work, the reimbursement from the State to be restored upon receipt to unappropriated funds in the Treasury.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 700.00 for the purchase of a Police Cruiser, and the present Cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new one.

Unanimous Voice vote

Article 11. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,000.00 to be paid to the Town of Abnans for Ambulance Fire and Police Dispatcher service for the year 1961.

Unanimous Voice Vote

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Article 12. Voted to accept the Annual Report with the recommendations and reports of the selectmen included, with the exception of the Snow Account and Police Account in the amount of \$288,654.34 and to raise and appropriate the sum of 278,654.34 and transfer the sum of 5000.00 from Overlay Surplus to the Reserve Account. Unanimous Vote. Voted to increase the Police Account by 500.00 in order that the Police Chief's salary may be 5000.00 for 1961.

Unanimous Vote

Voted to increase the Snow account by 2000.00  
Unanimous Vote.

Budget as voted.

1. Accountant	1728.00
2. Accountant Expense	500.00
3. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
4. Appeal Board	600.00
5. Assessors Abstracts	250.00
6. Auditorium Note	3000.00
7. Building Inspector	1500.00
8. Certification of Notes	10.00
9. Christmas Tree	150.00
10. Civilian Defense	400.00
11. Conservation Commission	200.00
12. Custodian	3380.00
13. Dog Officer Account	100.00
14. Dutch Elm Disease	200.00
15. Election & Registration	700.00
16. Finance Committee Expense	25.00
17. Fire Department	6340.00
18. Health	1000.00
19. Highways - General	2000.00
20. Insect Pest and Poison Inj Control	1600.00
21. Inspector of Animals	80.00
22. Insurance	835.00
23. Interest	1900.00
24. Legal Expense	1000.00
25. Library	3500.00

26	Memorial Day	150.00
27	Miscellaneous	1000.00
28	Office Clerk	1772.66
29	Old Cemetery	350.00
30	Old Windmill Case & Imprisonment	700.00
31	Planning Board	300.00
32	Police Department	10,900.00
33	Public Amusement & Advertising	1200.00
34	Recreation Commission	2000.00
35	Regional School District	91834.26
36	Reserve (from Oreday Surplus)	5000.00
37	Retirement	2082.00
38	School	81758.00
39	School, Out of State Travel	100.00
40	School Lunch	800.00
41	School Notes	6000.00
42	Sealer Heights & Measures	120.00
43	Secretary Finance Committee	50.00
44	Selectmen & Assessors Expense	1800.00
45	Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
46	Snow	4000.00
47	Soldiers & Sailors Lots	50.00
48	Surety on Bonds	390.00
49	Tax Title	1200.00
50	Town Dump	2500.00
51	Town Hall	6000.00
52	Town Landing	5000.00
53	Town Reports	1000.00
54	Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense	1550.00
55	Tree Warden	600.00
56	Veteran's Benefits	3000.00
57	Vocational Education	3000.00
58	Welfare Administration	1000.00
59	Welfare Service	27000.00
60	Wine Inspection	350.00

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Less Transferred Oreday Surplus 5000.00

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Article 13 Voted to fix the salaries & compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108 General Laws Chapter 44 as amended and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$11,150.00 for Salaries

Moderator	50.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (1,000.00 each)	3000.00
Assessors (1,000.00 each)	3000.00
Board of Welfare (300.00 each)	900.00
Treasurer Collector Clerk	4100.00

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 14 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 268.22 to pay the Unpaid Bills of 1960.)

Unanimous Voice Vote.

Article 15 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 450.00 for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 16 Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 346.40 for Greenhead Fly Control, as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, and to authorize the Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the Town Treasury.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 17 Voted that the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of the Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapters 516 and 524, Acts of 1950, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Bureau of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal waters, freshwaters and shore along a public beach outside of Boston Harbor, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers in second-

1961 once with section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws and authorize the selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefore to the Commonwealth.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 18. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,400.00: 1900.00 to be used in conjunction with 1900.00 from school funds for a salary of 3,800.00 for a nurse, and the other 500.00 to be used for expenses, said nurse to be working both as a school and town nurse.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 19. Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of 490.00 to pay the operating charge of five (5) luminous mercury street lights on the state highway in front of the Town Hall.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 20. Voted: to accept the following by-law:  
"No member of the planning board and/or the Board of Appeals, employed by or representing an applicant before said boards, shall have a vote on any decision directly concerning his client."

34 Yes 24 No

Article 21. Voted: to transfer from Available Funds in the treasury the sum of 13,500.00 for the purpose of constructing and originally equipping and furnishing in addition to the present Public Library and that a building Committee of five be appointed by the selectmen consisting of the 1961 Board of Trustees of the Library, one builder and one member of the Finance Committee, with full power to enter into all contracts and agreements necessary to construct, equip and furnish said building. Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 22. Voted: to transfer from Available Funds in the treasury, a sum of 2000.00 for the purpose of purchasing land at Great Meadow Creek and Cape Cod Bay which adjoins Town owned land for public use, and authorize the selectmen to take any action relative thereto.

Unanimous Voice Vote

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83 Yes 1 No

Article 24. Voted: to amend the Zoning By-Law by creating paragraphs d and e under the section entitled Definitions; said paragraph to read as follows:  
(d) Signs shall mean all advertising devices or insignia whether lettered or not, designed to promote a business, the sale of a product or of a service.  
(e) The area of a sign shall be determined by the multiplication of the width and height including borders or moulding without deductions for open space or other irregularities.

76 Yes 3 No

Article 25. Voted: to amend the Zoning By-Law so that paragraph 10 of section III shall read as follows:  
The display of not more than two double faced signs on resident occupants property which shall pertain to the occupation of said occupant or to use of such property as herein above authorized which shall have a total area of not more than 12 square feet and provided that said sign or signs are not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

72 Yes 4 No

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Article 26

Voted: to amend the zoning By-Law by adding the following paragraph to Section II which shall be called paragraph 8:

The display of not more than two double faced signs on resident occupants property which shall pertain to the occupation of said occupant or use of such property as herein above authorized which shall have a total area of not more than 12 square feet and provided that said sign or signs are not of the type or style employing or using flashing neon or fluorescent lighting or any lighting similar thereto.

74 yes 3 no

Article 27

therefore

Voted to amend Article 27 by deleting paragraph 5, Section I after the word "therefore" and substitute the following so that paragraph 5 shall read: "The display of not more than two (2) signs as herein above authorized on a property and which shall pertain to the use of such property only. Where two (2) signs as herein authorized are displayed one (1) shall be permanently affixed to the building to which the use of the property pertains. A freestanding sign may have a base not exceeding three (3) feet in height above road grade and shall not have a dimension exceeding ten (10) feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of forty (40) square feet or if reading from one (1) side only shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet exclusive of supports thereof. A setback of fifteen (15) feet from the nearest street or highway sidewalk shall be required. Signs on a commercial building may read from one (1) side only and shall have no more than forty (40) square feet total area. Illuminated signs shall not have any glare distracting to drivers nor shall there be any exposed neon or gas filled type signs or illumination in colors that will conflict with the ability to readily see traffic lights or cause any hazardous condition therefrom and there shall

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Unanimous Verdict

Voted: to amend the zoning By-Law by deleting paragraph 5, Section I after the word "therefore" and substitute the following so that paragraph 5 shall read: "The display of not more than two (2) signs as herein above authorized on a property and which shall pertain to the use of such property only. Where two (2) signs as herein authorized are displayed, one (1) shall be permanently affixed to the building to which the use of the property pertains. A free standing sign may have a base not exceeding three (3) feet in height above road grade and shall not have a dimension exceeding ten (10) feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of forty (40) square feet, or if reading from one (1) side only shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet exclusive of supports thereof. A setback of fifteen (15) feet from the nearest street or highway sidewalk shall be required. Signs on a commercial building may read from one (1) side only and shall have no more than forty (40) square feet total area. Illuminated signs shall not have any glare distracting to drivers nor shall there be any exposed neon or gas filled type signs or illumination in colors that will conflict with the ability to readily see traffic lights

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58 yes 5 no.

## Article 28.

Voted: to amend Article 28, by deleting paragraph 3, section VA and substitute therefore the following so that paragraph 3 shall read:

The display of not more than two (2) signs as herein above authorized on a property and which shall pertain to the use of such property only.

Where two (2) signs as herein above authorized are displayed, one (1) shall be permanently affixed to the building to which the use of the property pertains. A freestanding sign may have a base not exceeding three (3) feet in height above road grade and shall not have a dimension exceeding ten (10) feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of forty (40) square feet or if reading from one (1) side only shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet exclusive of supports therefor. A setback of fifteen (15) feet from the nearest street or highway sideline shall be required. Signs on a commercial building may read from one (1) side only and shall have no more than forty (40) square feet total area. Illuminated signs shall not have any glare distracting to drivers nor shall

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Unanimous vote

Voted: to amend the zoning By-Law by deleting paragraph 3, section VA and substitute therefore the following so that paragraph 3 shall read:

The display of not more than two (2) signs as herein above authorized, on a property and which shall pertain to the use of such property only. Where two (2) signs as herein authorized are displayed, one (1) shall be permanently affixed to the building to which the use of the property pertains. A freestanding sign may have a base not exceeding three (3) feet in height above road grade and shall not have a dimension exceeding ten (10) feet in any direction and shall read from both sides for a total sign area of forty (40) feet, or if reading from one side only shall not exceed twenty (20) square feet exclusive of supports therefor. A setback of fifteen (15) feet from the nearest street or highway sideline shall be required. Signs on a commercial building may read from one (1) side only and shall have no more than forty square feet total area. Illuminated signs shall not have glare distracting to

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54 yes 9 no

Imaging Lic<sup>49</sup> Frederick Jewell appointed assessor for Australian ballot

53 no 48 yes

Article 29 Not voted

Article 30 Not voted

Article 31 Not Voted

Article 32 Not Carried

Article 33 Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,500.00, and to transfer the sum of 2,500.00 from available funds in the treasury for the purpose of furthering improvements at Rock Harbor.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 34 Voted to transfer the sum of \$50.00 from Available Funds in the treasury for the purpose of having old Town records microfilmed.

Unanimous voice vote

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Article 35 Voted to transfer the sum of money in the following Accounts to the Excess and Deficiency Account:

Park <sup>49</sup> Bathing Beach	336.14
Drane Road to Cable Road	40.00
Harriet Road Layout	144.50

Unanimous voice vote

Article 36 Voted to terminate the lease on a parcel of land between Fred G. Lapina and the Town of Chatham which was accepted under Article 21 of the Annual Town Meeting held on February 20, 1956, and that a vote of thanks be extended to the Lapina family for the use of the land.

Unanimous voice vote

Article 37 The following questions relating to the proposed Cape Cod National Park were voted on:

1. Are you in favor of the establishment of a Cape Cod National Park according to the proposal of the National Park Service and as specified in the Chilton-Stall - Kennedy Smith bill filed in the 86<sup>th</sup> Congress

Yes 4  
No 5-7

2. Are you in favor of the establishment of a Cape Cod National Park according to the proposal of the Selectmen of the Towns of Chatham, Orleans, Eastham, Wellfleet, Truro, and Provincetown providing for modifications of the land areas as proposed by the National Park Service

Yes 29  
No 39

3. Are you in favor of the establishment of a National Park or a Cape Cod National Park in the area of the Towns of Chatham, Orleans, Eastham, Wellfleet, Truro and Provincetown

Yes 15  
No 40

Voted to authorize the Selectmen to notify the proper officials in Washington

of the results of these notes.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Voted: that the Town accept by gift a parcel of land owned by Thomas F. Whithead and Nancy Whithead, husband and wife, as tenants by the entirety, shown as Lot #2 on a plan hereinafter mentioned and bounded and described as follows:

The registered land situated in Eastham, Barnstable County, Massachusetts, bounded:

The registered land situated in Eastham, Barnstable County, Massachusetts, bounded:

Northerly by land now or formerly of Abbot S. Knowles or McKoy Road, a public way 731.55 feet;

Northeasterly by Said McKoy Road 9.94 feet

Southerly by land of Thomas F. Whithead et al in three courses, together measuring 738.69 feet and

Westerly by land now or formerly of Melasia H. Wells 16.50 feet.

The above described premises are more particularly shown as Lot #2 on a plan entitled: "Golden Acres Subdivision of Land in Eastham, Mass. made for Thomas F. Whithead et al, being a sub-division of part of land shown on L.C.P. 149134, Scale 1 inch equals 66 feet, June 1960, Dickerson & Berger, Civil Engineers, Orleans, Mass.

Said land to be used for public road purpose.

Unanimous Voice Vote

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To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to lease the old Fire Station to the United States Postal Department for use as a temporary Post-office for a period not exceeding one (1) year  
60 Yes 52 Yes

#4

Voted: to accept the provisions of Chapter 4, Acts of 1961, pertaining to advertising the advantages of the Town

Unanimous Voice Vote

Voted: to dispense with the reading of the minutes  
Unanimous Voice Vote

There being no more business to come before the meeting, adjournment was voted at 1:20 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

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Annual Town Election February 21, 1961.

The Annual Election of officers was held on February 21, 1961 in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting being called to order at 10:00 A.M.

The following persons, having been appointed to act as Election Officers and tellers were duly sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk:

Walter E. Garino, Lorna Hoston, Elmore Yellman, Esther F. Turner, Alfred Miller, Maurice Luvaro, and Helen Cannon acted as tellers for the Counting of ballots.

Polls opened at 10:00 A.M. and closed at 6:00 P.M.

The ballot box was examined and found to register zero (0).

At 6:00 P.M. at the close the ballot box registered 352 and the voting list showed a like number as having voted.

Following is a result of the voting:

Selectman, Assessor, Board of Public Welfare and Board of Health 3 years

Maurice W. Wiley	267 votes
John S. Poole Jr.	81 "
Blanks	4 "

Moderator 1 year

Fred G. Lapina Jr.	301 "
Blanks	51 "

Highway Surveyor 1 year

Nathan A. Dickerson	333 "
Blanks	19 "

Constable 1 year

Harvey J. Moore	340 "
Blanks	12 "

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Library Trustee (2 years to filled 4 unexpired terms of Margaret Campbell resigned)

Frederick H. Jewell	330 votes
Blanks	22 votes

Library Trustee 3 years

John B. Curtis	309 votes
Blanks	43 "

School Committee 3 years

Howard E. Brewer	332 votes
Blanks	20 "

Regional School District Committee 2 years

Richard J. Vandenberg	321 votes
Blanks	31 "

Planning Board 2 years  
(to fill unexpired term of Eugene Jack - resigned)

Charles H. Deane	303 votes
Blanks	49 "

Planning Board Five years

Clarence E. Doughty	300 votes
Blanks	52 "

Recreation Commission 5 years

Richard J. Mulholland	303 votes
Blanks	49 blanks

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Question: "Shall Chapter 32 B. of the General Laws, authorizing any County, city, town or district to provide a plan of group life insurance, group accidental death and dismemberment insurance, and group general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance for certain persons in the service of such County, city, town or district and their dependents be accepted by this town?"

yes 217

no 78

Blanks 57

As the Town Clerk read the results of the voting those who had the largest number of votes were declared elected by the election officers.

The total number of votes cast 352 in a possible total of 840.

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 P.M.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

March 15 The following persons were appointed as Finance Committee members by the Moderator for three years.

James H. Leach

Edward Benz

Leslie L. Vidson

March 21 Fred G. LaPrance Jr. announced the following as members of the Library Building Committee:  
Wallace Woodworth  
Clayton O. Horton

March 23 A letter from the Finance Committee states that Louis Gregory is Chairman of the Finance Committee.

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Appointments for 1961.

		Expire
1/18/61	Richard Purley	Wreigher 12/31/61
3/1/61	Winfred J. Knowles	Chief of Police 3/1/62
3/1/61	Winfred J. Knowles	Fence Viewer 3/1/62
3/1/61	Genevieve C. Schroeder	Town Accountant 3/1/64
3/1/61	Genevieve C. Schroeder	Office Clerk 3/1/62
3/1/61	Charles P. Cocobai	Moth Supt. 3/1/62
3/1/61	Earle H. Horton	Supt. Town Dump 3/1/62
3/1/61	Maurice A. Moore	Inspector of Taxes 3/1/62
3/1/61	A. May Dunphy	School & Town Nurse 3/1/62
3/1/61	Stanley Walker	Sealer Heights & Measures 3/1/62
3/1/61	Lloyd A. Mayo	Shelfield Constable 3/1/62
3/1/61	Clarence E. Doughty	Arms & Defense Director 3/1/62
3/1/61	John H. Heferty	Fire Chief 3/1/62
3/1/61	Ralph L. Rogers	Building Inspector 3/1/62
3/1/61	Laurence Baker	Veterans Agent & Burial Agent 3/1/62
3/1/61	Dr. James Leach	Dog Officer 3/1/62
3/1/61	Henneth R. Higgins	Police Officer 3/1/62
3/1/61	Robert L. Deschamps	Police Officer 3/1/62
3/1/61	Jerry Emond	" " 3/1/62
3/1/61	Stephen Buchanan	" " 3/1/62
3/1/61	George Bridgwood	" " 3/1/62
3/1/61	Elleana P. Daley	Board of Registrars 3/1/64
3/1/61	Louise M. Mayo	Welfare Worker 3/1/62
3/1/61	Louis Amoroso	Janitor 3/1/62
3/1/61	Richard Stetson	Sanitary Inspector 3/1/62
3/1/61	Edward H. Talesean	" " 3/1/62
3/1/61	Dr. Fred Moore	Special Agent Board of Health 3/1/62
3/1/61	Earle H. Horton	Police Officer 3/1/62
3/1/61	John F. O'Hara	Special Police Officer 3/1/62
7/1/61	Dr. James Leach	Pound Keeper & Inspector of Animals 7/1/62
6/16/61	John Pate	Wreigher 12/31/61
6/20/61	Louis Amoroso	Special Police Town Hall & Grounds 3/1/62
7/1/61	G. Robert Whiting	Temporary Assistant Janitor 7/5/61

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September 7, 1961

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

Please accept this as my resignation  
as Librarian for the Town of Eastham, effective  
as of Saturday, Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>

The two and one half years that I have  
spent in that capacity have been a pleasure  
and a privilege and it is with the  
deepest regret that I now feel it is necessary  
to resign.

Sincerely yours,  
Christine Young  
Librarian

December 1, 1961

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk  
Eastham, Mass.

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

This is to notify you that Mrs.  
Sadie Flint has been appointed Librarian for  
the Town of Eastham effective December 1, 1961  
at a salary of \$5.00 monthly.

Yours truly,  
Frederick Jewell, Chairman  
John J. Curtis, Treasurer  
Library Trustees

No. Eastham, Mass.  
December 27, 1961

Town Clerk  
Town of Eastham  
Dear Mrs. Brackett:

This is to notify you that I am  
resigning from the Board of Registrars effective

1961 December 31, 1961.

Very truly yours  
Henry J. McLane

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Annual Town Meeting Warrant  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
(Including Finance Committee Recommendations)  
Barnstable, ss.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town  
of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of  
Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to  
warn and notify the inhabitants of said  
Town qualified to vote in elections and  
Town affairs to meet at the Town Hall on Monday,  
the nineteenth (19) day of February next at 7:00  
P. M. o'clock in the evening, then and there  
to action the following articles in this  
warrant, and to meet in the Town Hall at  
10:00 o'clock in the morning on Tuesday, the  
twentieth (20) day of February next, then and  
there to elect all necessary officers.

Rolls to open at 10:00 A.M. and may close at 6: P. M.

Article 1. To see in what manner the Town will vote to  
dispose of its refunded dog tax.  
Recommended that the Town place the refunded  
dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the  
Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to  
borrow money from time to time, in anticipation  
of the revenue of the financial year, beginning  
January 1, 1962, and issue a note or notes  
therefor, payable in one year, and renew any note  
or notes so may be given for a period of less  
than one year, in accordance with Section  
17, Chapter 44, General Laws.  
Recommended

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Article 3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize  
the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen  
to borrow money from time to time in ant-  
icipation of re-imbursement for the financial year  
beginning January 1, 1962, and to issue a note  
or notes therefor, payable in one year and to  
renew any note or notes as may be given for a  
period of less than one year, in accordance with  
Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.  
Recommended.

Article 4. To see if the Town will vote to raise  
and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed  
\$1,000.00 for the establishment and maintenance  
of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis  
Mass. for the care and treatment of persons  
certified by the Selectmen to be residents of  
the Town and unable to pay for such care  
and treatment, in accordance with Chapter  
III Section 74, General Laws, or take any  
action relative thereto.  
Recommended 500.00

Article 5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize  
the Selectmen to sell property taken under  
tax title procedure by the Town, and  
raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00  
for this purpose, or take any action relative  
thereto.  
Recommended

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Article 6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate, or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for Chapter 81, Highways or take any action relative thereto.  
Recommended 4000.00

Article 7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$950.00 for the purpose of purchasing a police cruiser, and the present cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new.  
Recommended

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, Fire and Police dispatch service for the year 1962  
Recommended

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to pay the unpaid bills of 1961.

Article 10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year, or take any action relative thereto  
Recommended 750.<sup>00</sup>

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Article 11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the Treasury the sum of \$346.<sup>40</sup> for Greenhead Fly Control as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the State Treasury.

Recommended

Article 12. To act on the Annual Report, including recommendations and reports of the selectmen and other Town officers and see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the Treasury sums of money for the same or take any action relative thereto.

Recommendations of  
Dept. Heads and Finance  
Committee 1962

General Government		
1. Accountant		1822.00
2. Accountants Expense		500.00
3. Assessors Abstracts		300.00
4. Building Inspector		1600.00
5. Certification of Notes		10.00
6. Custodian		3640.00
7. Election & Registration		800.00
8. Finance Committee Expense		75.66
9. Legal Expense		1000.00
10. Office Clerk		2072.00
11. Secretary of Finance Committee		50.00
12. Selectmen and Assessor Expense		1200.00
13. Sweeten on Bonds		150.00
14. Tax Titles		1200.00
15. Town Hall		6500.00
16. Treasurer Collector Clerk Expense		1500.00
17. Total General Government		\$22,725.00

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17.	Bounty on Woodchucks	30.00
18.	Ambulance Hire	1500.00
19.	Appeal Board	600.00
20.	Civilian Defense	1000.00
21.	Conservation Commission	200.00
22.	Dutch Elm Disease	200.00
23.	Fire Department	5650.00
24.	Insect Pest and Poison Iny Control	1600.00
25.	Planning Board	350.00
26.	Police Dept.	10900.00
27.	Seals of Weights & Measures	180.00
28.	Shellfish Protection & Propagation	1500.00
29.	Street Lights	778.00
30.	Tre Warden	600.00
31.	Wire Inspections	350.00
	Total Protection Persons & Property	25,438.00
32.	Dog Officer Account	100.00
33.	Health	1000.00
34.	Inspection of Animals	80.00
35.	Town Dump	2700.00
	Total Health and Sanitation	3880.00
	Highways	
36.	Highways - General	2000.00
37.	Snow	3000.00
38.	Town Landings	7000.00
	Total Highways	12000.00
	Charities and Veterans Services	
39.	Veterans Benefits	3000.00
40.	Welfare Administration	1000.00
41.	Welfare Services	30,000.00
	Total	34,000.00
	Schools and Libraries	
42.	Regional School District	89,266.79
43.	School	83,916.00
44.	School - Out of State Travel	100.00
45.	School Lunch	800.00
46.	Vocational Education	2000.00
47.	Library	2500.00
	Total Schools and Libraries	178,582.79

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48.	Auditorium	3000.00
49.	Interest	1750.00
50.	School Notes	6000.00
	Total	10750.00
	Cemeteries	
51.	Old Cemetery	350.00
52.	Soldiers and Sailors Lots	50.00
		400.00
	Recreation and Unclassified	
53.	Christmas Tree	150.00
54.	Insurance	1300.00
55.	Memorial Day	150.00
56.	Miscellaneous	1000.00
57.	Old Windmill Park & Improvement	1000.00
58.	Public Amusement and Advertising	2000.00
59.	Recreation Commission	2000.00
60.	Reserve (from Overlay)	5000.00
61.	Retirement	2352.66
62.	Town Reports	1000.00
		13952.66
	Less Transfer from Overlay Surplus	5000.00
		8952.66
Article 13	To see if the Town will vote to fix the salary and compensation of all elective officers of the Town as provided by Section 108, Chapter 44, General Laws as amended and raise and appropriate sums of money for salary.	
	Dep't. Head	
	Recommendation	
	Moderator	50.00
	Constable	50.00
	Highway Surveyor	50.00
	Selectmen (1150 each)	3450.00
	Assessors (1150 each)	3450.00
	Welfare (300 each)	900.00
	Treas. Collector Clerk	4300.00
		12250.00

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Article 14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of 2,500.00, 2000.00 to be used in conjunction with 2000.00 from school funds for a salary of 4000.00 for a nurse and the other 500.00 to be used for expenses said nurse to be working both as a school nurse and town nurse, or take any action relative thereto  
Recommended

Article 15 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from available funds in the treasury, a sum of money for the purpose of purchasing and equipping a rescue truck, or take any action relative thereto  
By request  
Recommended 4,800.00

Article 16. To see if the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws as amended by Chapter 516 and 524 Acts of 1950 for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal rivers and streams, harbors, tidal waters, freshwater and shore along a public beach outside of Boston Harbor, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers in accordance with Section II of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the Selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth. No recommendation required.

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Article 17 To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of sections 7-A through 7D of Chapter 58 of the General Laws as amended, or take any action relative thereto.

No recommendation required.

Article 18 To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury a sum of money for the purpose of painting white traffic lines on the town roads for the purchase and erection of signs under direction of the Police department or take any action relative thereto.

Recommend 1500.00

Article 19 To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of 5000.00 for the purpose of constructing and maintaining a parking lot off Ocean View Drive or take any action relative thereto.

By request.  
Recommended.

Article 20 To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by extending Commercial District as shown on the official zoning map dated 1/1952, <sup>and amended</sup> as follows:

Beginning at Route 6 at the southerly side of Commercial District C; thence southerly by a line parallel to and distant 500 feet from the westerly side line of Route 6, to the drainage ditch which separates the property of Orel Fisher, Clayton Horton and Mary Chaw; thence Easterly by said drainage ditch to Route 6 and thence Westerly by Route 6

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to the point of beginning. Beginning again at Route 6 at the southerly side of Commercial District C; thence Easterly 500 feet by Commercial District C; thence southerly to a line parallel to and distant 500 feet from the Easterly side line of Route 6 to the southerly side of Old County Road; thence southerly by the westerly side line of Old County Road to the general drainage ditch; thence westerly by said drainage ditch to Route 6; and thence Westerly to the point of beginning.

By request

No recommendation required.

Article 21 To see if the town will vote to appropriate or transfer from unappropriated available funds in the treasury the sum of \$10,000.00 to be used for the purpose of dredging Rock Harbor, in conjunction with funds from Orleans, and the State, or take any action relative thereto.

Recommended

Article 22 To see if the town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by extending Commercial District D as shown on the official zoning map dated February 14, 1952, and amended February 17, 1958 as follows:

By including in Commercial District D located on the west side of Route 6, an extension of the westerly bound of said Commercial District D at its width of 200 feet running parallel to and along the North side of Oak Road to Main Street Road.

By request

No recommendation required

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## Article 23

To see if the Town will vote to amend the zoning By-law by extending Commercial District C as shown on the official zoning map dated February 14, 1952, and amended February 17, 1958 as follows:-

By including in Commercial District C that portion of the property of Walter and Margaret J. Garin L. bounded Easterly by Penny Road, Route 6, a distance of seventy-nine (79) feet, more or less; Northerly by property of Wesley Moore, a distance of One Hundred Eighty (180) feet, more or less, Westerly by property of Stillman D. Conell, a distance of Eighty-Five (85) feet more or less, and Southerly by other land of said Walter and Margaret J. Garin L., now designated as Commercial District C.

By request

No recommendation required

## Article 24

To see if the selectmen will vote to adopt the following By-law:

Before the Board of Selectmen shall act on any petition for the laying out, relocation or alteration of a public way over privately owned property the petitioners shall have prepared by a competent engineer, a designer or surveyor, specifications and a clear and legibly drawn plan in black Indian ink upon tracing cloth in suitable overall dimensions showing the details of the road petitioned for: location and name of owner, abutments, existing street lines length and width of the proposed way, drainage dip-slopes, widths of turning areas, surface materials and estimated costs and such other details, surveys and specifications as the selectmen may require. The minimum width of said road layout shall be 33 feet of which the minimum clearance and

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hardened surface shall be 22 feet. The Board of selectmen will take into consideration the requirements of the community and if in their opinion, common convenience and necessity require the same, they shall take the usual steps as provided in Eminent Domain takings. All costs of the foregoing shall be borne by the petitioner and if the vote of the Town is in the affirmative, approving the design of the selectmen thereunto, it shall be a condition of said vote that such owner or petitioner shall post a suitable bond with the Board of selectmen, assuring the completion of said way as prescribed in the plan, and specifications and the Board of selectmen together with the surveyor of highways shall determine that all conditions of this By-law have been complied with before said bond shall be deemed to have been satisfied.

No recommendation required

## Article 25

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee of Eastham to dispose of certain outdated textbooks and take any other action relative thereto

No recommendation required

## Article 26

To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Board of selectmen to establish an area for swimming, marked by buoys, an area for moored or anchored boats and a landing for water skiers on Great Pond and to further establish the following Rules and Regulations governing Motor Boating on Great Pond in the Town of Eastham.

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- a. Whoever operates upon the waters within the boundaries of the Town of Eastham a boat propelled by an internal combustion engine recklessly or negligently, so that lives or safety of the public might be endangered, shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00).
- b. No motor boat shall be used to tow persons on water skis or aquaplanes unless said boat shall be occupied by two persons, one of whom shall give his full attention to the operation of the boat, and the other of whom shall give his attention to the person or persons being towed.
- c. All boats shall keep a distance of one hundred and fifty feet from the swimming area marked by buoys and from moored or anchored boats, except when leaving or returning to their mooring or the landing.
- d. No water skiing shall be allowed on Salt Pond or any fresh water pond other than Great Pond.
- e. Hours for water skiing shall be from 7 a.m. to one half hour after sunset.
- f. The above rules and regulations are to be enforced by any police officer authorized to make arrests in the Town of Eastham and the violators of the above rules and regulations shall, for each offense, be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00).

No recommendation required.

Article 27 To hear the reports of Committees and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

No recommendation required.

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You are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post Office in North Eastham, and the Post Office in Eastham seven days at least before the date of holding said meeting.

Hereof, fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doing thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place of holding said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this Thirtieth day of January, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Two.

Maurice W. Wiley, Chairman  
Luther P. Smith  
Board of Selectmen

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Minutes Annual Town Meeting  
February 19, 1962

Pursuant to the <sup>provisions of the</sup> foregoing warrant the voters assembled in the Eastham Auditorium and, there being a quorum present the meeting was called to order at 7:10 P.M. George Duffy Jr. and Daniel W. Sparrow Jr. were appointed to act as tellers and were duly sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk.

The call and the service of the meeting were read by the Town Clerk, and, no objections being raised, the reading of the Articles was omitted.

Article 1. Voted: that the Town place the refunded dog tax at the disposal of the Public Library.  
Unanimous Voice

Article 2. Voted: that the Town authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1962, and issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year, in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 3. Voted: to authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of reimbursement for the financial year beginning January 1, 1962, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable in one year and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44 General Laws.

Unanimous voice vote

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Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for the establishment and maintenance of a free bed in the Cape Cod Hospital, Hyannis, Mass. for the care and treatment of persons certified by the Selectmen to be residents of the Town and unable to pay for such care and treatment, in accordance with Chapter III, Section 74, General Laws.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 5. Voted: to authorize the Selectmen to sell under Tax Title procedure by the Town, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 for this purpose.  
Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 6. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 to meet the Town's share of Chapter 81 Highways work, and that in addition, the sum of \$11,000.00 be transferred from Available Funds in the Treasury to meet the State's share of the work, the reimbursement from the State to be retained upon receipt to un-appropriated funds in the Treasury.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 7. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$950.00 for the purchase of a police cruiser and the present cruiser to be traded in as a credit towards the new.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 8. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2000.00 to be paid to the Town of Orleans for Ambulance, fire and police dispatcher service for the year 1962.

Unanimous Voice Vote

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Article 7. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$36.30 to pay the unpaid bills of 1961  
Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 10. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of 750.00 for the purpose of holding Band Concerts in the ensuing year.  
Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 11. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$346.40 for Greenhead Fly Control, as authorized by Section 24, Chapter 252, General Laws, and authorize the Town Treasurer to pay said appropriation into the Treasury.  
Unanimous Vote

Article 12. Voted: to accept the Annual Report including recommendations and reports of the Selectmen and other town officers, and to raise and appropriate the sum of \$299,016.45 for the same.

1. Accountant	1828.00
2. Accountant Expense	500.00
3. Assessors Abstracts	300.00
4. Building Inspector	1600.00
5. Certification of Notes	10.00
6. Custodian	3640.00
7. Election & Registration	800.00
8. Finance Comm.	75.00
9. Legal Expense	1000.00
10. Office Clerk	2072.00
11. Secretary of Finance Comm.	50.00
12. Selectmen and Assessor Expense	1200.00

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13. Surety on Bonds	450.00
14. Tax Titles	1200.00
15. Town Hall	6500.00
16. Treasurer, Collector, Clerk, Expense	1500.00
17. Bounty on Woodchucks	30.00
18. Ambulance Hire	1500.00
19. Appeal Board	600.00
20. Civilian Defense	1000.00
21. Conservation Commission	200.00
22. Dutch Elm Disease	200.00
23. Fire Dept.	5650.00
24. Insect and Poison Dry Control	1600.00
25. Planning Board	350.00
26. Police Dept.	10900.00
27. Water Rights and Measures	180.00
28. Shellfish protection and Propagation	1500.00
29. Street Lights	1066.00
30. Tree Wardens	600.00
31. Vice Inspector	350.00
32. Dog Officer Account	100.00
33. Health	1000.00
34. Inspection of Animals	80.00
35. Town Dump	2700.00
36. Highways - General	2000.00
37. Snow	3000.00
38. Town Landings	1000.00
39. Veterans Benefits	3000.00
40. Welfare Administration	1000.00
41. Welfare Services	30000.00
42. Regional School District	89,266.79
43. School	83,916.00
44. Out of State Travel. School	100.00
45. School Lunch	800.00
46. Vocational Education	2000.00
47. Library	2500.00
48. Auditorium Note	3000.00
49. Interest	1750.00
50. School Notes	6000.00
51. Old Cemeteries	350.00
52. Selectmen & Sails Lots	50.00

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53. Christmas Tree	150.00
54. Insurance	1300.00
55. Memorial Day	150.00
56. Miscellaneous	1000.00
57. Old Windmill Park & Improvement	1000.00
58. Public Amusement & Entertainment	2000.00
59. Recreation Commission	2000.00
60. Reserve	5000.00
61. Retirement	2352.66
62. Town Reports	1000.00
Less Transfer from Carbay Surplus	304,016.45
	297,016.45

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 13. Voted: to fix the salaries and compensation of all elective officers of the Town, as provided by Section 108, Chapter 44, General Laws and raise and appropriate sums of money as follows:

Moderator	30.00
Constable	50.00
Road Surveyor	50.00
Selectmen (1150.00)	3450.00
Assessors (1150.00)	3450.00
Board of Health (300.00)	900.00
Treasurer, Collector, Clerk	4300.00
	12,250.00

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 14. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,500.00: \$2,000.00 to be used in conjunction with \$2,000.00 from School funds for a salary for a nurse, and the other 500.00 to be used for expenses, said nurse to be working both as a school nurse and Town nurse.

Unanimous Voice Vote

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Article 15. Voted: to raise and appropriate from Available funds in the Treasury the sum of 4,800.00 for the purpose of purchasing and equipping a rescue truck.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 16. Voted: that the Town will assume liability in the manner provided by Section 29 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, as amended by Chapter 516 and 524, Acts of 1950, for all damages that may be incurred by work to be performed by the Department of Public Works of Massachusetts for the improvement, development, maintenance and protection of tidal and non-tidal river and streams, harbors, tidewater, freshwater and shore along a public beach outside of Boston Harbor, including the Merrimack and Connecticut Rivers, in accordance with Section 11 of Chapter 91 of the General Laws, and authorize the selectmen to execute and deliver a bond of indemnity therefor to the Commonwealth.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 17. Voted: to accept the provisions of Sections 7-A through 7-D of Chapter 58 of the General Laws as amended.

Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 18. Voted: to raise and appropriate the sum of 1500.00 for the purpose of painting white traffic lines on the town roads and for the purchase and erection of signs under direction of the Police Department.

Unanimous Vote

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Article 19 Voted: to indefinitely postpone.  
Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 20 Not acted. Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 21 Voted: to transfer from unappropriated funds in the treasury, the sum of 10,000.00 to be used for the purpose of dredging Rock Harbor, in conjunction with funds from Orleans and the State.

Article 22 Voted: to indefinitely postpone.  
Unanimous voice vote

Article 23 Not Carried  
31 yes 81 no.

Article 24 Voted: to adopt the following by-law:  
Before the Board of Selectmen shall act upon any petition for the laying out, relocation or alteration of a public way on privately owned property, the petitioner shall have prepared by a competent engineer, designer or surveyor specifications and a clear and legibly drawn plan in black Indian ink upon tracing cloth in suitable overall dimensions, showing the detail of the road petitioned for, location and name of owner, abutment, existing street lines, length and width of the proposed way, drainage disposal, width of turning areas, surface materials and estimated costs and such other details, series and specifications as the selectmen may require. The minimum width of said road layout shall be 33 feet of which the minimum clearance and hardened surface shall be 22 feet. The Board of Selectmen will take into consideration the requirements of the community and if in their opinion, Common Convenience and necessity require the same

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they shall take the usual steps as provided in Eminent Domain takings. All costs of the foregoing shall be borne by the petitioner and if the vote of the Town is in the affirmative, approving the doing of the Selectmen thereunto, it shall be a condition of said vote that such owner or petitioner shall post a suitable bond with the Board of Selectmen assuring the completion of said way as prescribed in the plan and specifications, and the Board of Selectmen together with the surveyor of highways shall determine that all conditions of this By-law have been complied with, before said bond shall be deemed to have been satisfied.

53 yes 3 no.

Article 25 Voted: to authorize the Eastham School Committee to dispose of certain outdated text books.  
Unanimous Voice Vote

Article 26 Voted: to authorize the Board of Selectmen to establish an area for swimming, marked by buoys, an area for moored or anchored boats and a landing for water skiers on Great Pond, and to further establish the following rules and regulations governing motor boating on Great Pond in the Town of Eastham:

- a. No person operating on the water within the boundaries of the Town of Eastham a boat propelled by an internal combustion engine, recklessly or negligently so that the lives or safety of the public might be endangered, shall be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars (\$20.00)
- b. No motor boat shall be used to tow persons on water skis or aquaplanes unless said boat shall be occupied by two persons, one of whom shall give his full attention to the

1962 operation of the boat and the other of whom shall give his full attention to the operation of the boat and the other of whom shall give his full attention to the person or persons being towed.

c. All boats shall keep a distance of one hundred and fifty feet from the swimming area marked by buoy and from moored or anchored boats, except when leaving or returning to their mooring or the landing.

d. No water skiing shall be allowed on Salt Pond or any fresh water pond other than Great Pond.

e. Hours for water skiing shall be from 7 A.M. to one half hour after sunset.

f. The above rules and regulations are to be enforced by any police officer authorized to make arrests in the town in the town of Eastham and the violations of the above rules and regulations shall, for each offense be punished by a fine of not more than twenty dollars. (20<sup>00</sup>)

Unanimous Voice Vote.

Article 27. To hear the reports of Committee and and to do or act on anything which may legally come before this meeting.

Voted: to dispense with the reading of the minutes.

Unanimous Voice Vote.

You are directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof at the Post-office in North Eastham and the Post-office in Eastham, seven days at least before the date of holding said meeting.

Given under our hands and seals this thirty-first day of January in the year of our Lord, One thousand Nine hundred and fifty two.

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Maurice W. Wiley chm.  
Luther P. Smith

Mrs. Isabelle Bissett Board of Selectmen  
Town Clerk

Greetings.

In pursuance of the conditions of foregoing warrants I have posted attested copies, one at the Post-office in North Eastham, and one at the Post-office in Eastham seven days before time of holding said meeting.

Signed,

Agnew T. Moore  
Constable

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## Annual Election February 20, 1962

The Annual Election of officers was held February 20, 1962 in the Eastham Town Hall, the meeting being called to order at 10<sup>00</sup> A.M.

The following persons, having been appointed to act as Election Officers and tellers were duly sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the Town Clerk:

Alfred Miller, Maurice Turano, Lona Horton, Helen Carron, Esther Lunn, Bertha Bernault James Clancy.

The Polls opened at 10<sup>00</sup> A.M. and closed at 6<sup>00</sup> A.M. The ballot box was examined and found to register zero (0).

At 6:00 P.M. when the Polls closed, the ballot box registered 559, and the voting list showed a like number as having voted.

Following is a result of the voting:

Moderator 1y. Fred J. LaPrana Jr. 482 Votes  
77 Blanks.

Selectmen, Assessors, Board of Welfare and Board of Health 3y.  
George Bridgwood 74 Votes  
Freeman Hatch III 118 "  
James Leach 93 "  
Velma D. MacPherson 11 "  
\* Maurice A. Moore 180 "  
Philip J. Schwind 83 "  
Blanks

Constable 3y. Harvey T. Moore 506 "  
Blanks 53 "

Highway Surveyor 1y. Nathan A. Nickerson 499  
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School Committee 3y. James R. Davis 204  
Helena Hayes 69  
Marcia C. Nickerson 263  
Blanks 23

1962 Library Trustee 3 years

Ruth Curtis 150 votes  
Dorice M. Mays 381 "  
Blanks 28 "

Planning Board Member 5 years Harry Taylor 452 "  
Blanks 107 "

Recreation Commission 5 years Fred G. Carey Jr. 461 votes  
Blanks 98 "

## Question:

Shall the Town pay one half the premium costs payable by a retired employee for group life insurance and for group general or blanket hospital, surgical and medical insurance?

Yes 334 votes  
No 150 "  
Blanks 75 "

As the election results were read those having the largest number of votes were declared elected by the presiding officer.

At 9:30 P.M. the meeting adjourned, the total number of ballots cast numbering 599 in a possible 831.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

February 21, 1962

The following appointments to the Finance Committee were announced by the Moderator

Clayton O. Horton 3y.  
Otto E. Nickerson 3y.  
William Hoffman 3y.

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March 6 Appointed to the Rescue Truck Purchase Committee by the Selectmen: John Hilferty, Arthur C. Nickerson, Ernest Hollis, George Bridgwood, Joseph Doyle Jr.

Town Clerk, Eastham

March 12, 1962

Dear Madams:

This will advise you that at a meeting on March 1, 1962, the Planning Board elected Prescott B. Cummings Chairman, and Harry Taylor clerk and secretary.

Very truly yours  
Harry Taylor

Board of Selectmen  
Eastham, Mass.

Eastham, Mass.  
July 25, 1962

Gentlemen:

Please accept this letter as my resignation from the office of Trustee of the Eastham Public Library, effective immediately.

Very truly yours,  
John B. Curtis

Mrs. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk, Eastham, Mass.

August 1, 1962

Dear Mrs. Brackett:

The Eastham Board of Library Trustees with the approval of the Eastham Board of Selectmen, have appointed Otto C. Nickerson to fill the unexpired term of John Curtis, who resigned until the next general election, and effective July 28, 1962.

Maurice W. Wiley  
Luther P. Smith  
Maurice A. Moore  
Board of Selectmen

Frederick F. Jewell  
Dorine M. Mayo  
Library Trustees

August 14, 1962

Board of Selectmen  
Eastham, Mass.

Gentlemen:

It is with much regret that I must submit my resignation to take effect immediately from the Eastham-Orleans-Trefford Regional School District

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## Selectmen's Appointments for 1962

		Expire
R. May Dunphy	Town Nurse	3/1/63
Genevieve Schroeder	Office Clerk	3/1/63
Dorine M. Mayo	Social Worker	3/1/63
Louise Amoroso	Janitor Town Hall	3/1/63
John Hilferty	Fire Chief	3/1/63
Ralph H. Rogers	Building Inspector	3/1/63
Laurence Baker	Veteran & Burial Agent	3/1/63
Dr. James Leach	Dog Officer	3/1/63
Stillman Casell	Board of Appeals, member	3/1/66
George D. Dickie	Board of Appeals, member	3/1/67
Catherine DeVille	Associate Member	3/1/64
Clarence E. Doughty	Civilian Defense Director	3/1/63
Lloyd A. Mayo	Shellfish Comptroller	3/1/63
Earle K. Horton	Custodian Town Dump	3/1/63
Charles Escobar	Moth Superintendent	3/1/63
Robert L. DeChampe	Police Officer	3/1/63
Kenneth B. Higgins	"	3/1/63
Jeray Emond	"	3/1/63
Dr. Fred Moore	Special Agent Board of Health	3/1/63
Earle K. Horton	Police Officer	3/1/63
Ar. Henry Nickerson	Conservation Comm. member	3/1/65
Dr. James H. Leach	Inspector of Animals	3/31/63
Gilbert E. Hewston	Mine Inspector	3/1/63
George Schreck	Conservation Commissioner	3/19/65
1/7/62 Constance Cunningham	Board of Registrars	3/1/65
Joseph L. Putnam	Conservation Commissioner	3/1/65
Les H. Decstew	Sanitary Inspector	
Fred L. Moore	County Health Office	
Edward J. Tesson	Sanitary Inspector	
Basilide M. Sturtevant	Sanitary Inspector	
Frank A. Fuller	Lesker Heights & Measures	3/1/63
James Leach	Inspector of Slaughtering	3/1/63
John F. O'Hara	Police Officer	3/1/63
George Bridgwood	"	3/1/63
John A. Alexander	Reserve Police " for duration of emergency	12/31/62
John Pate	Reserve	
7/1/62 John Alexander	Special Police	3/1/63
7/1/62 Edward E. Bittow	" " for Handed Beach	3/1/63
8/1/62 Robert Berrill	Regional School Comm.	3/1/63
Alfred R. Vello	Election Warden	3/1/63

1962 Committee I have enjoyed being a member of this committee, until recently, and have taken pride in the accomplishments of it; especially in the planning and ultimate completion of our new High School. I am proud of having been a member of the committee that worked with a fine administration and faculty, until we now have a wonderful school offering the finest opportunities to our young people.

However, due to continuing interference and harassment of the committee, and the administration by a few members of the Citizens for Public Schools, I find it impossible to continue. This organization could be an asset to the school system if operated properly, but unless it changes its tactics it will destroy a fine school.

With sincere regret

Richard J. Vandenberg

Selectmen

Appointments Continued for 1962.

		Office	
8/15/62	Alfred Mills (R)	Election Warden	8/15/63
	James Clancy (D)	Deputy Warden	8/15/63
	Robert F. Turner (R)	Inspector	8/15/63
	Charles J. Ullman (D)	Deputy Inspector	8/15/63
	Maurice Lusano (R)	"	8/15/63
	Walter E. Janine (D)	Deputy Warden	8/15/63
	Helen Sarah Parsons (D)	Deputy Clerk	8/15/63
	Lorna B. Norton (R)	Clerk	8/15/63
	Stillman D. Correll	Special Police Officer	10/15/62
12/19/62	Edward L. Philbrick Jr.	Associate Member Board of Appeals	3/1/64

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Warrant for State Primary  
The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Barnstable, ss

To either of the Constables of the Town of Eastham

Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town who are qualified to vote in Primaries to meet in the Eastham Town Hall on

Tuesday the Eighteenth day of September, 1962 at 12 o'clock Noon for the following purposes:

To having in their votes to the Primary officers for the nomination of candidates of political parties for the following offices:

For this Commonwealth	
Senator in Congress	"
Governor	"
Lieutenant Governor	"
Attorney General	"
Secretary of the Commonwealth	"
Treasurer & Receiver-General	"
Auditor of the Commonwealth	"
Representative in Congress	9 <sup>th</sup> Congressional District
Councillor	1 <sup>st</sup> Councillor
Senator	Cape & Plymouth
Representative in General Court	2 <sup>nd</sup> Barnstable
District Attorney	Southwest District
County Commissioner	Barnstable County
Sheriff	Barnstable County

The polls will be open from 12 until 6:00 P. M.  
Hereby, fail not, and make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon, at the time and place of holding said meeting.  
Given under our hands and seals this 1 day of September 1962

Maurice W. Riley  
Luther P. Smith  
Maurice A. Moore  
Board of Selectmen

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State Summaries September 17, 1962

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant the inhabitants of the Town of Eastham met in the Eastham Town Hall. The warrant calling the meeting was read by the Town Clerk, to gether with the return of the officer who served the same. Officers appointed and sworn to serve at this meeting were: James Clancy (D) Deputy Warden, Esther Turner (R) Deputy Inspector, Alfred Mill (R) Warden, Eleanor Ullman (D) Inspector, Maurice Lunsford (R) Inspector, Walter Jarvis (D) Deputy Warden, Lorna B. Horton (R) Clerk, Helen Sarah Carron (D) Deputy Clerk. The above named were also sworn as tellers for the purpose of counting the votes at the close of the Polls.

The Polls opened at 12<sup>00 Noon</sup> and closed at 6:00 P.M. The ballot box stood at 000 at the opening and registered 459 at the close, that number having voted.

Ballots cast as follows:

Republican

Senator in Congress

George C. Lodge	Received	264 votes
Lawrence Curtis	"	129
Blanks	"	16

Governor

John A. Volpe	"	392
Blanks	"	17

Lieutenant Governor

Francis W. Perry	"	388
Blanks	"	21

Attorney General

Edward W. Brooke	"	86
Elliot L. Richardson	"	317
Blanks	"	6

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Secretary

Harris A. Reynolds	Received	374 votes
Blanks	"	35

Treasurer

Joseph B. Grossman	"	279
Francis Andrew Walsh	"	92
Blanks	"	38

Auditor

Philip M. Walsh	"	363
Blanks	"	46

Congressman 9<sup>th</sup> District

Hastings Keith	"	372
Blanks	"	37

Councillor First District

Edward Abdallah	"	18
Elton A. Ashley	"	53
Howard W. Young	"	273
Blanks	"	65

Senator Cape & Plymouth District

Allan F. Jones	Received	152 votes
Francis W. Sargent	"	251
Blanks	"	6

Representative in General Court

Second Barnstable District

Clarence E. Doughty	Received	172 votes
Charles W. Hurlbut	"	27
Roger W. Muncey	"	9
Robert W. Stone	"	41
Stephen Tucker	"	155
Blanks	"	5

District Attorney Southern District

Clair F. Carpenter	"	76
Alan J. Falk	"	45
Anthony R. Macdonald	"	5
Leonard E. Perry	"	226
Blanks	"	57

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## County Commissioner

Barnstable County  
 Oscar J. Cahoon received 345 votes  
 Blanks 34

## Sheriff

Donald B. Lulwich " 385 "  
 Blanks 24

Democrat  
 Senator in Congress

Edward M. Kennedy received 32 votes  
 Edward J. McCormack Jr. " 15 "  
 Blanks 3

## Governor

Endicott Peabody " 33 "  
 Clement A. Riley 15  
 Blanks 2

## Lieutenant Governor

Francis X. Bellotti " 27 "  
 Herbert L. Connolly " 21 "  
 Blanks 2

## Attorney General

James B. Lawton " 20 "  
 Francis E. Kelly " 7 "  
 Thomas L. McCormack " 5 "  
 Margaret J. McGovern " 13 "  
 Matthew L. McGath Jr. " 4 "  
 Blanks 1

## Secretary

Herin H. White " 48 "  
 Blanks 2

## Treasurer

John Thomas Driscoll " 35 "  
 John F. Kennedy " 10 "  
 John M. Kennedy " 2 "  
 Blanks 3

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## Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley received 45 votes  
 Blanks 5

Congressman 12<sup>th</sup> District

Alexander Byron received 30 votes  
 Frank J. McGuire Jr. 15  
 Blanks 5

## Councillor

## First District

Ernest C. Stasium received 27 votes  
 Alice Connolly " 11 "  
 George Corcoran " 1 "  
 John Sylvia " 6 "  
 Blanks " 5 "

## Senator

## Cape &amp; Plymouth District

John M. Arthur Anderson " 43 "  
 Blanks 7

## Representative in General Court

John C. Snow " 44 "  
 Blanks 6

## District Attorney Southwold District

Edmund Davis " 24 "  
 Blanks 18  
 John J. Harrington " 8 "

## County Commissioner

## Barnstable County

## Sheriff

## Barnstable County

1962 The Polls opened at 12:00 noon and closed at 6:00 P.M. The ballot box stood at 459 that number having voted in a possible 846 as shown on the voting list at the close of the primaries.

L. Isabelle Brackett  
Town Clerk

Democrats 62  
Republicans 492  
Unenrolled 292  
846 Total

Men 403  
Women 443  
846

Sept. 19, 1962

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### State Election

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
November 6, 1962

Barnstable Co.

To Harry T. Moore, Constable of the Town of Eastham, in the County of Barnstable:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby directed to notify and warn the inhabitants of said Town, qualified to vote in elections, to meet in the Town Hall in said Eastham on Tuesday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November next at 10 A.M. in the forenoon for the purpose of exercising their vote for the following:

Senators in Congress

Governor

Lieutenant Governor

Attorney General

Secretary

Treasurer

Clerk

Representative in Congress

Councillor

Senator

Representative in General Court

District Attorney

County Commissioner

Sheriff

### Question

Question #1. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution  
Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held May 13, 1959, received 143 votes in the affirmative and 118 in the negative and in a joint session of the two branches held March 27, 1961 received 144 votes in the affirmative and 121 in

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
November 6, 1962

Barnstable ss.

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Senator in Congress

Governor

Lieutenant Governor

Attorney General

Secretary

Treasurer

Comptroller

Representative in Congress

Councillor

Senator

Representative in General Court

District Attorney

County Commissioners

Sheriff

### Questions

Question #1. Proposed Amendment to the Constitution  
Do you approve of the adoption of an amendment to the Constitution summarized below which was approved by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held May 13, 1959, received 143 votes in the affirmative and 118 in the negative and in a joint session of the two branches held March 27, 1961 received 144 votes in the affirmative and 121 in

1962 the negative?

## Summary

The proposed amendment imposes no new taxes but gives the General Court the power to pass an income tax at graduated or proportioned rates and is a change in the constitutional limitations now in effect on the power of the General Court to pass tax measures. The proposed amendment would add a new Article to the constitution of the Commonwealth by which full power and authority is granted to the General Court in the alternative to the power and authority to tax incomes in the manner provided in Article XLV of the Amendments to the Constitution, to impose a tax on incomes at rates which are proportioned or graduated according to the amount of income received irrespective of the source from which it may be derived and to grant reasonable exemptions, deductions and abatements. It further provides that any property, the income of which is taxed under the provisions of the proposed Article may be exempted from the payment and levying of proportional and reasonable assessments, rates and taxes as at present authorized by the Constitution and that the Article shall not be construed to limit the power of the General Court to impose and levy reasonable duties and fees.

## Question #2

Law submitted upon referendum after passage. Do you approve of a law summarized below which was approved by both branches of the General Court by vote and decided?

## Summary

This act increases the compensation each member of the General Court shall receive for each regular annual session from fifty two hundred dollars to sixty seven hundred dollars and increases the additional compensation of the

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President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall receive from fifty two hundred dollars to sixty seven hundred dollars. The act also increases the additional compensation of the floor leaders of the major political parties in the Senate and the House of Representatives, the Chairman of the Senate Committee on Ways and Means and the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the House Committee on Ways and Means shall receive from twenty six hundred dollars to thirty three hundred and fifty dollars and provides that a member of the General Court chosen to fill a vacancy or who resigns his seat during a regular annual session shall receive a pro-rata compensation at the increased rate of compensation for each regular annual session.

## Question #3

- Shall license be granted in this city or town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whisky, rum, gin, malt beverages, wine and all other alcoholic beverages)?
- Shall license be granted in this town for the sale therein of wine and malt beverages (wine, beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?
- Shall license be granted in this town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages in packages so called, not to be drunk on the premises?

## Question #4

- Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed horse races be permitted in this County?
- Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on licensed dog races be permitted in this County?

All of the above candidates, officers and questions to be voted for on one ballot. The polls will open from 10:00 A.M. to 6:30 P.M. and

1962 And you are hereby directed to serve this warrant by posting attested copies thereof, one at the post-office in Eastham, and one at the post-office in North Eastham seven days at least before time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due return of this warrant with your findings thereon to the Town Clerk at the time and place aforesaid.

Given under our hands and seals this 26 day of October, 1962.

Maurice W. Bailey  
Luther P. Smith  
Maurice A. Moore  
Deputies of Eastham

1962 State Election, November 6, 1962.

Pursuant to the foregoing warrant, the qualified voters of Eastham met in the Eastham Town Hall for purposes stated. Election officers appointed were: Alfred Miller, <sup>R</sup>warden, Walter Garin <sup>R</sup>deputy warden, Jamie Chaney <sup>R</sup>election inspector, Lana Horton <sup>R</sup>election clerk, Maurice Luvato <sup>R</sup>election inspector, Allen Carson <sup>R</sup>election deputy clerk, Esther Luvato <sup>R</sup>deputy inspector, Eleanor Ullmann <sup>R</sup>deputy inspector, Theodore Muckle, Teller

The Polls opened at 10:00 A.M. and closed at 6:00 P.M.  
The ballot box stood at 000.  
Following is the result of the voting:

#### Senator in Congress

Edward M. Kennedy	secured	145 votes
George C. Lodge	"	531 "
Laurence Gifford	"	1 "
H. Stuart Hughes	"	12 "
Mark B. Shaw	"	" "
Blanks	"	19 "

#### Governor

John A. Volpe	secured	549 votes
Endicott Peabody	"	147 "
Henning A. Blomen	"	1 "
Guy S. Williams	"	" "
Blanks	"	11 "

#### Lieutenant Governor

Francis X. Bellotti	"	94 "
Francis W. Perry	"	600 "
Thomas Mantia	"	" "
Francis A. Votano	"	1 "
Blanks	"	13 "

#### Attorney General

Edward W. Brooke	"	601 "
Francis E. Kelly	"	91 "
Edgar E. Gaudet	"	1 "
Howard B. Rand	"	" "
Blanks	"	15 "

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## Secretary

Herin H. White	received 229 votes
Harris A. Reynolds	" 451 "
John E. Anderson	" 2 "
Julius B. Kohler	" 1 "
Blanks	" 29 "

## Treasurer

John Thomas Driscoll	" 212 "
Joseph B. Freeman	" 467 "
Deane Goddard	" 1 "
Gene A. Sotell	" 1 "
Blanks	" 27 "

## Auditor

Thomas J. Buckley	" 302 "
Philip M. Wahl	" 378 "
Louise T. Metayo	" 2 "
Ethelbert L. Herin	" 2 "
Blanks	" 24 "

Comptroller 9<sup>th</sup> District

Hastings Keith	" 585 "
Alexander Byron	" 100 "
Blanks	" 23 "

## Councillor

1<sup>st</sup> District

Ernest C. Stassin	" 140 "
Howard W. Young	" 532 "
Blanks	" 36 "

## Senator

## Cape &amp; Plymouth District

John McArthur Anderson	" 147 "
Ellen L. Jones	" 533 "
Blanks	" 28 "

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Representative in General Court  
Second Barnstable District

John C. Snow	received 152 votes
Stephen Huber	" 537 "
Blanks	" 17 "

## District Attorney

## Southern District

Edmund Davis	received 154 votes
Leonard E. Perry	" 527 "
Blanks	" 27 "

County Commissioners  
Barnstable County

Oscar Cahoon	received 629 votes
Blanks	" 79 "

## Sheriff

Donald P. Tulloch	received 638 votes
Blanks	" 70 "

## Question #1

Graduated Income Tax Question	Do you approve of an amendment to the Constitution summarized which was offered by the General Court in a joint session of the two branches held May 13, 1959, received 143 votes in the affirmative and 118 in the negative and in a joint session of the two branches held March 29, 1961, received 144 votes in the affirmative and 121 in the negative
yes	94 votes
no	527
blanks	85

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## Question #2

Do you approve of a law as summarized  
 Increase in pay of State  
 legislators which was approved by both branches of the  
 General Court by vote not recorded?

yes	100	yes
no	503	
Blanks	105	

## Question #3

A. Shall license be granted in this town  
 for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages (whiskey, rum, gin, malt beverages, wines and all  
 other alcoholic beverages)?

yes	289
no	308
Blanks	111

B. Shall license be granted in this town for  
 the sale therein of wines and malt beverages (wines,  
 beer, ale and all other malt beverages)?

yes	267
no	295
Blanks	

C. Shall license be granted in this city or  
 town for the sale therein of all alcoholic beverages  
 in packages so-called, not to be drunk on the  
 premises?

yes	424
no	189
Blanks	95

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## Question #4

A. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on  
 licensed horse racing be permitted in this County?

yes	111	votes
no	538	votes
Blanks	59	

## Question #4

B. Shall the pari-mutuel system of betting on  
 licensed dog races be permitted in this  
 County?

yes	91	votes
no	544	
Blanks	73	

The Polls closed at 6:00 P.M. The ballot box stood  
 at 758, there having been that number of votes  
 cast out of a possible 883.

Democrats 64  
 Republicans 503  
 Independents 316  
 Men  
 Women  
 Total 883

Isabell Brackett  
 Town Clerk

1962

# Account of Governor's Votes December 1, 1962.

A recount, being duly requested of the votes for Governor, was held on December 1, 1962 at 10: A.M. in the Eastham Town Hall.

The results were as follows:

	Governor	
John A. Volpe	secured	556 votes
Enoch D. Leach	"	147 "
Blank	"	5 "

Representing the Republican party were Harry Taylor, Louis Gregory, Ralph Chase, and Richard Vanderway. Paul Kemmer Jr. was the legal counsel for the Republicans, and Charles Fogarty was the legal counsel for the Democrats with Oswald Cannon representing the Democrats.

The Registrars in charge of the recount were: Anne King, Constance Cunningham, and Charles Daley.

John A. Volpe gained 7 votes in this count.

Labellie Bessett  
Town Clerk.

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